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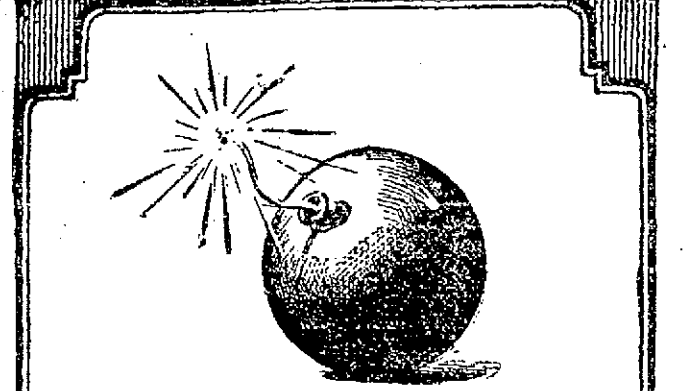
NOTICE TO TEAM CAPTAINS:—

There will be an important meeting of the team captains for supper at 6.30 p. m. on Thursday evening, January 23, in the Assembly Room, War Work Building, 117 Marmineck street. All captains are urged to attend as important business will be discussed after the supper.

NEW CHARTER SECTIONS

Provisions of the Corbett Charter Proposed For Lowell in Legislature

Below are given additional sections of the proposed charter introduced by Rep. Corbett and on which a hearing may be given in the near future. Section 10 provides that the order of candidates' names on the ballot shall be settled by lot and not by alphabetical precedence, as under the present charter. Section 13, it will be noted, settles the matter of a tie vote. Unless more than the required number of candidates are running for the nomination no preliminary election will be held. Section 3. Women qualified to vote for school committee may be candidates for nomination to membership therein at any preliminary election at which candidates therefor are to be nominated; provided, that they file the above described statement and accompanying petition, signed by twenty-five voters qualified to vote for members of the school committee, and at such preliminary election may vote for candidates for said committee, but for no others.



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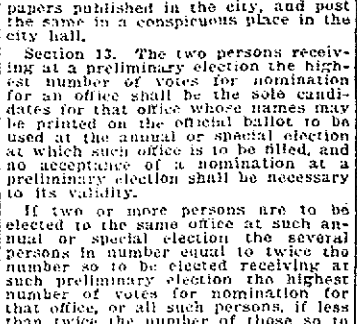
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FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT ASSOCIATE HALL

Approximately 1500 people showed their appreciation of the capabilities of the Lowell Young Men's and Young Women's Hebrew Association as entertainers when they crowded Associate Hall last evening on the occasion of the eighth annual ball of these popular organizations.

Mayor and Mrs. Thompson were the guests of honor, and there were several out of town guests. About 100 doughboys came from Camp Devens at the invitation of the local Jewish Welfare board, and gave the affair a decided military appearance.

A pleasing musical program by the Miner-Doyle Jazz orchestra opened the evening, after which every one joined in a short "sing" under the leadership of Albert Edmund Brown. During an intermission at 10:30 o'clock the two Dewire sisters, Marie and Dora, aged 10 and 12 years respectively, made the biggest hit of the evening when they gave a little dancing exhibition of their own, starting with a Scotch fling and following this by several Irish and Spanish folk dances. If they had not been a singularly modest little pair the applause they received would surely have turned their heads.

The decorations were of a high order. Blue and white were the prevailing colors, surmounted by the national emblem and there was enough red, white and blue hunting to give the scene an attractive and patriotic aspect. The stage was decorated with a tasteful arrangement of the national and Jewish colors on a background of deep blue.

NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON THE CASUALTY LIST

There are 43 names of New England soldiers on today's casualty list, although it is a comparatively small one. There are no Lowell names on the list, however.

Killed in Action
Cor. Matthew R. Ray, Boston, Mass.
Pr. Lester G. Chandler, Brockton, Mass.
Pr. Dewey C. Clark, Cape Cod, Mass.
Pr. Henry D. Denna, Brandon, Vt.

Died from Wounds
Cor. Robert E. Bertheman, Providence, R. I.
Pr. Lorenzo Martell, Milton, Vt.

Died from Accident
Lt. Holyoke Whitney, Dedham, Mass.
Cor. William J. Walsh, Winooski, Vt.
Wag. James W. Donovan, Pawtucket, R. I.

Pr. Joe Smith, Lyndonville, Vt.
Pr. William L. White, Boston, Mass.
Missing in Action
Pr. Romeo Levasseur, Vanburen, Me.

Died of Disease
Cor. Frank P. Lynch, Brattleboro, Vt.
Cor. William A. Smith, Milbury, Mass.
Chauffeur Arthur E. Manning, North Waterford, Me.

Pr. John H. Baker, Andover, Mass.
Pr. Nelson E. Corbitt, Melrose, Mass.
Pr. Edward J. Person, West Roxbury, Mass.

Pr. William A. Larmour, Worcester, Mass.
Pr. John McGarvey, Stoughton, Mass.
Pr. Israel Rags, New Britain, Conn.

Wounded Severely
Ser. Alfred E. Dudley, Providence, R. I.
Cor. Elson C. Schofield, Somerville, Mass.
Wag. John A. Simmons, Providence, R. I.

Pr. Samuel Cignare, Johnson, R. I.
Pr. Howard P. Davis, Provincetown, Mass.
Pr. Arthur M. Dorell, Providence, R. I.

Pr. Alfred L. Parkman, Lynn, Mass.
Pr. Leo Seaguis, South Boston, Mass.
Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Killed in Action
Cor. Glen W. Bassett, Wilmington, Vt.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Died from Wounds
Mech. Karl N. Hanson, Portsmouth, N. H.
Killed in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Pr. Michael J. McNeerney, New Haven, Conn.

Died from Wounds Received in Action, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Pr. Guglielmo Bellini, Chelsea, Mass.
Wounded (Degree Undetermined), Previously Reported Missing in Action
Bug. Henry L. Veto, Lisbon, N. H.

Pr. Morris E. Berger, Ansonia, Conn.
Pr. Rosario Frank, Lawrence, Mass.
Pr. Peter Rudnik, New Bedford, Mass.

Sick in Hospital, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Pr. Sebastiano Bucher, Hartford, Conn.
Pr. Leo Calabro, Lynn, Mass.
Returned to Duty, Previously Reported Missing in Action
Pr. Frank S. Gagne, Woodbury, Conn.
Pr. George W. Hobbs, Jr., East Templeton, Mass.

21 U. S. CITIES REPORT 130,000 JOBLESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Reports from 21 cities, showing more than 135,000 men unemployed, were submitted to the house immigration committee yesterday by Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, in support of his contention that "there will be bread lines in every industrial centre before May 1." Mr. Morrison appeared in support of legislation to restrict immigration.

The reports submitted were in addition to those from 20 cities given to the committee last Thursday by Mr. Morrison, and showed Detroit with 50,000 unemployed; Philadelphia with 10,000; Indianapolis, 8,000; Bridgeport, 15,000; Charleston, W. Va., 6,500; Worcester, 12,000; San Francisco, 15,000; Tacoma, 3,500; Denver, 1,500; Great Falls, Mont., 1,000; Akron, O., 2,500; Schenectady, 3,500; and Pittsburgh, 10,000.

A report from Seattle said it was impossible to give the approximate number of unemployed there, but that there were thousands and that the number was increasing daily. The situation was becoming so menacing, it was stated, that government intervention might soon be necessary.

Mechanists' Complaint
Mr. Morrison read a letter from William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, stating that the existing unrest among the laboring classes is being accentuated by employers who are increasing the number of hours a day the employees have to work and lowering wages. The letter also said that several companies working under war orders of the war labor board have served notice that as far as they were concerned the war ended the day the armistice was signed and that the awards no longer were in effect. In this connection the Worthington Pump company, Cudahy, Wis., and the Willys-Overland company, Elyria, O., were mentioned.

Mr. Johnston also said that 25,000 machinists have been discharged in Buffalo, 5,000 in New Haven, 5,000 in Newark, 4,000 in Rochester, N. Y.; 2,500 in St. Paul, 4,000 in Pittsburgh, 5,500 in Hartford and 20 per cent of all employed in Columbus, O.

Mr. Morrison told the committee that further proof is being obtained daily of the increasing extent of unemployment; and that action must be taken immediately if serious labor troubles are to be avoided. He said that two things should be done by congress:

Suggests Legislation
"First, that legislation providing for the employment of returning soldiers be passed, and second, that immigration be stopped until normal times are again reached."

Mr. Morrison said that only two cities—Toledo and Youngstown, O.—of the 30 mentioned by him last week as having large numbers of unemployed, have denied that such conditions exist. He read a telegram from Toledo in which it was stated that the men who made the denial had been only factory laborers in consideration, and said he was now obtaining additional information in regard to Youngstown.

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\$15 Suits and Overcoats	\$12.75	\$32.50 and \$35 Suits and Overcoats	\$28.37
\$20 and \$22.50 Suits and Overcoats	\$16.87	\$37.50 and \$40 Suits and Overcoats	\$31.50
\$25 Suits and Overcoats	\$19.37	\$45 Suits and Overcoats	\$37.50
\$30 Suits and Overcoats	\$24.87	\$65 Suits and Overcoats	\$50.00
One Lot of Suits	\$9.87		

MEN'S ODD TROUSERS MARKED DOWN



Underwear

\$2.50 UNION SUITS	\$1.98
\$3.00 and \$3.50 UNION SUITS	\$2.15
\$3.00 PEEBLES UNION SUITS	\$2.39
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\$4.00 PEEBLES UNION SUITS	\$3.39
\$5.00 PEEBLES UNION SUITS	\$3.98
\$6.00 PEEBLES UNION SUITS	\$4.98
\$1.00 SHIRTS AND DRAWERS	89c
\$1.50 MERINO SHIRTS AND DRAWERS	\$1.19
\$2.50 NATURAL WOOL UNDERWEAR	\$1.98
\$3.00 GLASTENBURY UNDERWEAR	\$2.49

ALL SWEATERS MARKED DOWN

50c TUBULAR TIES	19c, 3 for 50c
65c and 75c NECKWEAR	55c, 2 for \$1.00
\$1.00 and \$1.25 NECKWEAR	79c, 2 for \$1.50

Shirts

\$1.25 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	95c
\$1.50 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS	\$1.15, 3 for \$3.00
\$2.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$1.69, 2 for \$3.00
\$3.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$2.39, 2 for \$4.50
\$4.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$3.39
\$5.00 SILK SHIRTS	\$3.98
\$6.00 SILK SHIRTS	\$4.98
\$7.00 SILK SHIRTS	\$5.49

FLANNEL SHIRTS MARKED DOWN

Hosiery

25c and 30c HOSE	21c, 5 Pairs \$1.00
65c SILK PLANTED HOSE	35c, 3 Pairs \$1.00
50c HEAVY MERINO HOSE	35c
39c HOLEPROOF HOSE	35c, 3 Pairs for \$1.00
50c CASHMERE HOSE	39c, 3 Pairs \$1.00
69c CASHMERE HOSE	59c, 3 Pairs \$1.50
69c HEAVY WOOL HOSE	59c, 3 Pairs \$1.50
\$1.00 LIGHT WEIGHT ALL WORSTED HOSE	65c
89c COTTOCOOK HOSE	65c
50c TRIPLETOE HOSE	39c

SUSPENDERS, BELTS AND GARTERS MARKED DOWN

\$1.50 NECKWEAR	\$1.19, 2 for \$2.00
\$2.00 NECKWEAR	\$1.65, 2 for \$3.00
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NECKWEAR

PUTTING THE DAMPER ON AUTO THIEVING

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, January 22.—"Any automobilist in Massachusetts whom we are able to connect in any way with a stolen automobile will not be allowed to register a car in this state again." This emphatic declaration, made yesterday afternoon by James W. Synan of the Massachusetts highway commission, outlines what the commission believes to be the most effective, and probably the only effective method, of dealing with automobile thieves.

"Already," Mr. Synan added, "we have blacklisted twenty-five former automobilists who will never be allowed to own or to drive a car in this state. Police officials tell us that our campaign is already bearing fruit, for the number of automobiles reported stolen in the last few weeks shows a considerable falling off from previous records. We hope that the thieves will take the warning and find some legitimate way of making money; if they persist in stealing cars for a living, sooner or later we'll get them, and when we do, it's 'good night' for them."

Commissioner Synan made his statement during the hearing of a Lynn autoist, who was before the commission pleading that he be allowed to register his car and resume his business of renting them. Mr. Synan told the applicant that he would make a complete investigation of his case and try to get at the facts. "But I may as well tell you," he added, "that we have information indicating that you almost had your hands on a stolen car. I

won't say that we have been told that you stole it, or that we believe that you stole it, but we have reason to think that at one stage of the stealing you almost, if not quite, had your hands on a stolen car. We'll give you the benefit of a doubt and give the matter a careful investigation, but in the meantime don't turn down any reasonable offer for those cars of yours, because the chances are you won't be able to use them."

In the opinion of the commissioners, automobile thieves have been making extensive use of the so-called "dealer's plates" in plying their traffic. The procedure of the thieves, in most cases, the commission believes to be about as follows:—

A man purchases three or four cars, and sets himself up as a dealer in motor vehicles. As such, he is entitled to receive from the commission five sets of number plates, each set bearing the same number, with the number followed in each case by a different letter of the alphabet. At least one of these sets is kept in reserve.

With one of these sets, the thief then goes out, locates the car which he intends stealing, and removes the owner's plates, replacing them with the set of dealer's plates which he has kept for the purpose, and drives it away.

The owner soon discovers his loss and reports to the police, asking that they watch for a car with a registration number 38,765, and while they are vigilantly watching for this number plate, the stolen car goes by without hindrance, because it bears plate number 38,765, or some other number totally different from that which was stolen.

For that reason the commission is about to undertake a rigid investigation of every person who has a dealer's set of plates, and the honest dealer should not feel offended if an agent of the commission enters his place of business and demands to know the disposition which has been made of all of the plates he obtained from the commission.

HOYT.

S. S. MANCHURIA ARRIVES IN N. Y.

WITH MANY FIGHTERS AND 906 SICK

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The transport Manchuria arrived today from France with the 11th and 117th Field Artillery, headquarters 56th Artillery Brigade, 166th Ammunition Train, headquarters 62nd Infantry Brigade, training cadres from the 31st Division and 965 sick and wounded.

The Cretic arrived from Brest with the 54th Coastal Artillery.

200 Yanks in Rome

ROME, Tuesday, Jan. 21.—A contingent of 200 American sailors arrived

here today and was enthusiastically received at the station. The minister of the navy gave a luncheon for the American officers today, while American and Italian sailors lunched together at another restaurant.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Note—Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

With all of the mysticism which attaches to the faraway east, Javedah de Rajah and Princess Olga give a most remarkable performance of telepathy at the B. F. Keith Theatre, this week. Faster than has ever been done before do these workers transmit thoughts, one to the other. Princess Olga, seated on the stage, and blindfolded, has questions fired at her from both auditorium and balcony at one and the same time, and her answers ring out with remarkable speed and clearness. This is the first Hindu act of telepathy ever seen on a local stage.

Scarcely less interesting is "The Minstrel of Kerry," with Larry Kelly singing and acting the principal part. Kelly is a true Irish tenor, and his assisting company is all that it should be. Janet Adair and her song recitations are from the Metropolitan stage and are good, and Al. Shayne, the man with hundreds of funny faces, is a manufacturer of laughter. Marconi & Fitzgerald, musicians; the

Gliding O'Mearas, dancers, and Gerard's monkeys, animal trapezists, complete this very good bill. The pictures include the Red Cross, the Patriotic News and a comedy film.

THE STRAND

The great Nazimova, in her latest offering of a highly dramatic nature, "Eye for Eye," which is to be shown for the last time today at The Strand, is creating no end of favorable comment among the patrons of motion pictures of the superior grade. This star finds opportunity to reflect her wonderful skill as a member of the silent drama, while the story which was adapted from the big stage success, "The Occident," is thrilling and intensely interesting. See it today.

Any Allison, the captivating screen star of the present season is appearing in her newest presentation called "Her Inspiration." Besides the star herself there are several other noted screen favorites in the cast, including "our own" Herbert Hayes, who was in the local stock two seasons ago. The remainder of the bill includes a comedy, Universal Weekly, Chester Outing and song numbers by Octavio, the double-voiced wonder.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"The Yankee Prince." George Cohan's big musical comedy success of a few seasons back, which is being presented this week by the Emerson All Star Players at the Lowell Opera House, is scoring one of the real hits of the season. The piece has all of the vim and vigor of a regular Cohan production, and the Players are handling it with commendable skill. Just

don't miss it.

John Noa, appearing in Cohan's original role, is winning genuine favor with all the patrons. The advance sale of tickets for the remaining performances is large and it's advisable to make your reservations early and thus avoid disappointment. Tel. 261. Next week "Irish Week."

LECTURE BY K. OF C. SECRETARY JOHN SALMON

Knights of Columbus Secretary John F. Salmon, the Lowell boy who spent the better part of one year along the front line trenches in France and Belgium, is to deliver his first complete and graphic account of his thrilling experiences with the doughboys of the 82d and 88th divisions, in their successful drive at St. Mihiel, the Meuse river and other historic spots in France at the Lowell Opera House next Sunday afternoon and night. Secretary Salmon's story has all of the thrills, the intense situations and harrowing tales of present-day warfare that have been told in word pictures since the very beginning, of the capture of the lecture is to be given under the auspices of Lowell council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, and the proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the K. of C. Guild, an organization that has already done wonderfully effective social service work among juveniles of the city during the past few years.

It is safe to say that the experiences of the Lowell secretary have been as varied and interesting as any doughboy of the other units that served right up at the front during the closing days of the war. Secretary Salmon was over the top to serve the personal wants of the boys. He was blown 25 feet by a German high-explosive shell but escaped without serious injury. He was gassed and still suffers from the effects of the poison. He was blown through a window of his hotel during one of the biggest air raids on Paris, he was with a party of K. of C. secretaries in a hut that was struck by shell and several times and narrowly escaped death. He was looked upon in Paris as one of the bravest and best secretaries in the service of the K. of C. and won commendation from his superiors. Because of his wonderful record he was unanimously chosen vice president of the K. of C. service at the front secretaries' when that organization was formed in Paris. He talks facts—only facts that can be verified in every particular. Come and listen to him tell how some of the Lowell boys "did their bit" in the front line trenches. They were there with him. Hear him tell how he distributed cigarettes, candy and other things to the soldiers and last but not least, listen to him tell his experiences of getting his supplies up. It's one of the most gripping stories of the war. Tickets are on sale at the Lowell Opera House or can be procured at K. of C. headquarters, Associate building. Order early.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that cradles the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this bill in Lowell.

Warrant Machinist Charles H. Huse of the United States naval reserve is the only man from the Spindle City who will make the trip to Poland on the good ship Westward Ho, which is soon to leave the United States with a cargo of 7000 tons of food for this suffering country. The Westward Ho will sail for Danzig, the Polish port on the Baltic sea where its cargo of condensed milk, fats and cereals, which were paid for by contributions from Polish and Jewish organizations throughout the country, will be distributed by representatives of Herbert C. Hoover, federal food administrator.

Warrant Machinist Huse is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Huse of 12 Campus avenue and has been in the navy since May, 1918. He is a graduate of the Lowell high school and received his naval training at Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, N. J.

WAMESIT NATIONAL BANK

The annual meeting of the Wamesit National bank was held yesterday afternoon and directors were elected as follows: F. S. Ryan, C. M. Forrest, C. E. Goulding, F. H. Haynes, T. J. Mo-

Donald, J. F. Owens, H. R. Rice, L. T. Sherman, H. C. Taft and C. H. Warren. At a meeting of the directors held later it was announced that the bank had paid during the past year two semi-annual dividends, amounting to 5 per cent, and F. H. Haynes was unanimously elected president.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

The annual republican caucus for the town of Dracut was held last evening in Grange hall, Centre village with Percy A. Smith acting as chairman and Thomas H. Varnum as secretary. The result of the caucus was as follows: George H. Stevens, treasurer; J. Chester Fox, highway commissioner; Miss Edna Cutler and Thomas H. Varnum, trustees for the public library for 3 years; Nelson E. Huntley, cemetery commissioner; Hiram E. Linscott, Clinton Coffin and Bert A. Cuff, selectmen; George R. Fox, assessor; Arthur W. Colburn, tax collector; Albert H. Colburn, Fred W. Richardson and Asa Stickney, school board; Sam G. Pillsbury, trustee for the public library for 1 year; John W. Brennan and Thomas P. Carick, democrats, were endorsed by the assembly for the positions of town clerk and tree warden respectively.

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ADMITTS McADOO IDEAS OF USE

Southern Pacific's Head Says
Centralizing of Certain
Departments Good

Tells Senate Roads Should
Go Back to Private Control
and Compellition Restored

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Use of water routes to relieve crowded railroad lines, consolidation of ticket offices, unification of terminals and pooling of repairs shops were among the wartime reforms instituted by the railroad administration, endorsed as worthy of continuation by Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the Southern Pacific, in testimony today before the senate interstate commerce committee. He appeared in support of legislation proposed by the association of Railroad executives. Standardization of equipment for all railroads under federal control, proposed by the railroad administration, was said by the witness to be inadvisable.

"Standardization of locomotives is unwise and unnecessary," he said. "To obtain maximum efficiency of a locomotive and corresponding minimum of cost of transportation, demands close study of the alignment and grade systems, the nature of fuel, strength of bridges, weight of rail, length of turntables, depth of roundhouses and lengths of freight passing sidings on the lines on which they are to be operated. As these features are different for each line, no locomotive can be designed to serve all lines with maximum efficiency.

"The standardization of passenger equipment is not necessary as it seldom leaves the rails of the owner. Standardization of certain classes of freight cars is desirable."

"The short routing of traffic, Mr. Kruttschnitt said, had not resulted in as large benefits as had been claimed. "The benefit of this practice, which deprives the shipper of choice routes and competitive facilities and service, is very much exaggerated," he said. "The director general says that during a year of federal control 10,653,533 car miles have been saved in the eastern and northwestern regions alone, which is only two-tenths of one per cent. of the total freight car miles run in these regions."

In summarizing the attitude of the railroad executives toward railroad legislation, Mr. Kruttschnitt said: "Prompting by experience acquired under both private and government operation the carriers earnestly desire to provide a better system of operation by combining the initiative and beneficial features of competition inherent in private ownership with the benefits developed during operation by the government unhampered by legal restrictions."

MARY MAHONEY DEAD

State Head of Auxiliary to
A.O.H. Since 1916, Dies at
Her Home in Norwood

NORWOOD, Jan. 22.—Miss Mary L. Mahoney, state president of the Ladies auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Massachusetts, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 134 Pleasant street, Norwood. She had been ill since November, when she suffered a nervous breakdown due to overwork in the auxiliary.

Miss Mahoney was born 47 years ago.

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The question is, if you read in the paper that you had inherited 40 million dollars in real money—and you were eating a 30 cent dinner at the time, which was the first square meal you had had in two days—would you finish the meal before going for the money? See what Wallace Reid does in this picture.

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In Walpole, but had lived in Norwood 40 years. She formerly taught school in Norwood, West Roxbury and Rockland, and for several years had been a teacher in Boston, her last position being in the Disciplinary school, South Boston.

She had been a member of the Ladies' auxiliary for many years and was for several terms president of Division 11 of Norwood. She was also president of the Norwood County Ladies' auxiliary for several terms, including re-election in 1911. In August, 1911, she was elected state treasurer and re-elected the following year. In 1916 she was elected state president and was re-elected in 1917 and 1918.

She had gone as delegate to several national conventions of the Ladies' auxiliary, and at one held in Virginia in 1911, she was chairman of the committee on Catholic federation.

DANCING AT DEVER'S

A most enjoyable dancing party was held last evening at the Soldiers' club in Ayer, and 75 colored doughboys were unanimous in declaring the affair one of the "best ever". The party was held under the auspices of the war camp community service of Ayer, and several young women from Boston and Lowell were present to trip the light fantastic with the boys and make the affair a success. The Lowell party, which consisted of 10 local young women, was chaperoned by Mrs. H. M. Wingood.

Five Heroic Divisions

Continued

spend, Mr. Brown is reckoned as one of the "big men" in foreign correspondence and speaks from first hand information.

Here are some of the things he said regarding the 26th and its work in winning the war:

Five divisions of the American

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the thanks of the nation. Through these heroic divisions more men have passed than originally comprised them, and no other divisions that reached the front paid their toll in blood or suffered such casualties as these five sustained. From the time they went into the war they were the American shock troops. They were used to the very limit of human endurance, yet never faltered. They bore the brunt of the fighting at Chateau-Thierry and on the Marne, from June to August and came out shattered in all but heart and courage. Without rest they were put into the St. Mihiel offensive in September, where they were again the shock troops. Without rest they were thrown into the fighting in the Argonne.

Terrific Losses

Referring further to the terrible losses and tremendous pluck and courage shown by the 26th, Brown says that "The 26th Division came out of the offensive near Verdun with only 18,000 men" while the full strength of a division is presumably 47,000.

"Every soldier in France," continues Brown, "is proud of his own division, but with chivalry and truth of every soldier in France he wants to have his head at the mention of those five heroic divisions—three of which belonged to the once despised national guard. I have never been a believer in the national guard system, but I know that if these national guard divisions had not been ready with the outbreak of the war, we could not have turned the trick. It is a splendid tribute to American manhood that

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CONGRESS TO BLAME

The congress of the United States was asked, six months before the war ended, to put through legislation providing homes, farms and work for American soldiers upon their return from the battlefields where they killed the Huns. Congress dilly-dallied a while and then gave the father of the movement, Secretary Lane of the Interior, \$200,000 with which to investigate. He had asked for a million or two.

Think of investigating such a huge project, spreading all over the country and including hundreds of millions of swamp, arid and out-landish lands, with \$200,000!

However, Lane's highly efficient reclamation service did the investigating. They worked hard and fast on it. And reported to congress.

Congress shoved the report into a pigeon-hole and went on playing politics.

Lane called the attention of congress to the necessity for speed, for immediate action. He told them that the war was over and thousands of soldiers were coming back every day, and that they were looking for work. He also told them that these thousands of new farms would be needed for food within a few years—to fight the wolf of world hunger.

Lane has talked to congress; preached to congress; appeared before committees and even at an informal session of the house, with this result:

Nothing done!

This congress has less than six weeks in which to act. If this legislation is not passed before March 4, it may not be enacted within the next year.

Congress knows that and still does nothing but talk about it. Hundreds of thousands of our soldier boys are hunting for civilian jobs. Three million of them will soon be back home.

If you want to help them: if you want to increase the food supply of this country for your children, if you want to do away with bread lines and with armies of unemployed war veterans, make your demands known to congress. Appeal to your representatives and your senators for action that will help to afford suitable employment for the soldiers.

THE INFLUENZA

Reports from the state health department show that the influenza is decreasing in every part of the state except Lowell. This may or may not be a reflection upon the board of health for failure to take active measures for fighting the epidemic.

In the first place, the isolation hospital should have been opened some weeks ago and other steps should also have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease from the homes of patients. The steady increase in the number of cases reported from the health department is sufficiently alarming to warrant extreme measures. The influenza commissioners, acting for the state board of health, recommended the use of the serum developed by Dr. W. H. Reed and McGuire of the United States Naval hospital at Chelsea. After a great number of experiments, Dr. Corey,

the prominent expert and member of the influenza commission, speaks very highly of the results obtained from the use of this serum. He holds that if given early and properly, the serum will cure influenza-pneumonia. In 150 such cases at the Chelsea hospital, the death rate was but four per cent, whereas the death rate at Camp Devens was 20.7 per cent.

Inasmuch as this treatment is in use in half a dozen hospitals in greater Boston, it would seem quite safe to have it introduced here in the treatment of influenza cases. The serum, the doctors assert, is quite harmless and, with the promise of good results, there is no reason why it should not be tried. The use of the serum calls for volunteers from those who have recovered from the influenza, to contribute the blood necessary in making the serum. Only persons who have recovered not more than four weeks ago will be accepted among the volunteers, and as many of these may be in rather a weakened condition, they may not be willing to make the sacrifice. Yet, those who have contributed of their blood are said to have suffered no injurious effects.

BUILD! BUILD! BUILD!

The appeal to build, build, build without waiting for prices to come down, is resounding all over the country. It comes from the departments at Washington, from state legislatures and from the leading business men of the country. It is regarded as one of the most essential steps in the program of reconstruction to have government work started without delay, so as to encourage private owners to go ahead with building enterprises instead of holding back to await a reduction in the price of materials or perhaps in the rate of wages.

Representative Achin has introduced a bill in the legislature providing for a period of tax exemption for all new buildings erected within a specified time. This might help to get building operations started, although there will undoubtedly be serious opposition to the measure, even if it should stand the test of constitutionality.

Each city has a duty to perform in getting building projects or other public works started as soon as possible. Again, it must be urged that the school board and municipal council should take up without further delay, the matter of erecting new school buildings. The board, by co-operating with the municipal council, can do much to expedite matters. If these problems be allowed to lag until the spring, it may be far along in the fall before the operations be well begun.

The men who are behind the project for a memorial building for the soldiers and sailors, if given the legal authority, will push that ahead with all possible haste in order that it may help in the urgent demand for building operations to assist, so far as may be, in the general resumption of business.

CHILD LABOR DAYS

January 25, 26 and 27th have been designated by the National Child Labor committee as Child Labor days to be observed in churches, schools and elsewhere. The object is to provide the necessary protection for children. It appears that since the supreme court over-ruled the Child Labor law, there has been great increase in the employment of children of tender years in some of the southern states and even in some states far removed from the south. The overthrow of the Child Labor law did not prejudice in any manner the

movement for the protection of children against employment for which they are not fitted or employment during the years at which they should be at school. The Child Labor law, so-called, was not properly framed. Neither was it properly named. It provided against the export of products on which child labor was employed. That was a very roundabout way of getting at the matter.

Congressman Rogers has a bill before congress providing for an amendment of the constitution so that child labor may be prohibited throughout the states. There have been so many amendments before congress of late, that the one proposed by Mr. Rogers has probably been pushed aside by the others. But it is a matter that should be acted upon and will undoubtedly come up in due time.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

The demand for open sessions of the peace conference, if granted without reserve, will offer too many opportunities for the sensational writers who are not very particular as to facts, provided they can create a sensation.

If all the preliminary discussions of the various and complicated questions were open to the correspondents and their interpreters, there would be such a confusion of reports and opinions that the public could hardly tell what the conference had done. Moreover, things might come out that would cause international friction and misunderstanding. The peoples of the world care nothing for discussion. They want to know what is done, not what is being said by the different delegates.

The wise course was adopted in assigning to representatives of the leading nations, the task of giving out properly digested reports of what the conference has actually done and what questions it has in hand. Among such a gathering of distinguished men, the hungry sensationalists will have no difficulty in getting the talkative to commit themselves in a manner that will bring them trouble later on. The arrangement made for due publicity is all that could be desired and will protect the conference themselves against false statements and distorted reports, all covering the proceedings and yet all materially different.

Much interest will be taken in the town meeting proposed by the city of Lawrence in order to give the officials an opportunity to talk over matters with the citizens or to get an exchange of views on public questions. It may serve a good purpose and then again it may not. The officials want to present certain phases of the city's financial condition to the voters. Why can they not do this more satisfactorily through official reports for which the oral statement offers no equivalent. The primary aim is to improve the financial condition of the city and if it can be done through the town meeting, all the cities will readily adopt the plan as the cheapest and most feasible.

La Follette has been whitewashed by his colleagues in the senate. All the republicans but one voted for him, realizing that his vote will be needed in keeping up the appearance of control in the next congress. The vote of a traitor counts one same as that of a patriot, and it appears that if the G.O.P. has the votes, the leaders do not care where they come from.

The prevalence of crime in all parts of New England is another thing to suggest to the quiet people who abide at home or evenings in company of good reading, that sticking to what has been a pleasant habit is a thing that may save us being blackjacked some time when we are of a mind to sally forth in search of extraneous amusement.

Perchance we stray far from the subject when we suggest that when that Georgia senator asserted to his colleagues that Wilson was doing things in a manner too royal to suit him, it was jealousy to be expected of a senator coming from a state that has great pride in the fact that she is the home of the "king of the baseball diamond," Citizen Tyron Cobb.

While different interests in this city of ours here and how about the desirability and the legal aspects of opening up the contagious hospital so as to isolate influenza patients, what single man or agency will have pop enough to do something that will accomplish this comparatively simple method of probably curbing the ravages of the disease? It should not be forgotten that the influenza epidemic a harvest of dead seven times as great as the bubonic plague had claimed.

The peace table is busy trying to think of something it can use as a serum against the disease of Bolshevism. President Wilson says that the patient, he thinks, needs \$100,000,000 worth of food. Unfortunately at the present time, congress shows signs of letting the patient die or go insane before giving the necessary approval to the \$100,000,000 dose being started overseas.

SEEN AND HEARD

People to be pitied include bald-headed and nerve-shaken editors who are asked all kinds of fool questions via the phone.

League of Nations

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Alexander at 27 Pleasant st., Lowell, Me., where a feeding station for birds is maintained throughout the winter, seven evening grosbeaks, a pair of blue jays, a pair of chickadees, a pair of hairy woodpeckers, a white-breasted nuthatch and a mocking bird assembled for breakfast yesterday morning. The mocking bird first joined this winter colony January 1 and continues to be a regular boarder, despite the cold weather.

Welcoming the Heroes

A correspondent who signs himself "A Soldier's Father," has sent the following communication to the editor of Seen and Heard:

Sir: Will you allow me to suggest in your valuable column that in appointing a committee to meet our boys coming home, the authorities select men who are fathers of soldiers. It would be too bad to appoint men that had held a machine in the Cartridge shop or went "over the top" of Lawrence street to the tune of \$10 a week. Let those people take to some side line and let the fathers of our boys meet them.

He Knew Better

Teacher was warning to her subject, and, laying down her book, said: "Now, you all understand that the trunk is the middle part of the body, don't you?"

"Yes, ma'am," chorused the class, with one exception.

"You understand it, too?" asked the teacher of the boy who had not answered.

"No, ma'am, because it isn't so."

"Why, my dear boy, what do you mean?"

"Well," replied the boy, "you ought to go to the circus and see the elephant!"—Slay, Stories.

How He Lost His Leg

Nothing is more irritating to a real fighting man than to be interrogated about himself. There was a sailor in a railway carriage. As he had only one leg, he excited the interest of two elderly ladies, who in a round about way began endeavoring to find out how he lost his leg. For some time he sheered them off. He did not like being cross examined, but neither did he like to be rude. So at last he said:

"Well, mums, if I tell you how I lost my leg will you stop asking me questions about it?"

"Of course we will," they promised. "Well, mums," he answered shyly, "it was bitten off."—Sir John Foster Fraser in Harper's.

Preparatory Conversation

Cleric hasn't discovered the girl yet, but he is already worrying about how he is going to propose to her when he does. War and matrimony, says he, require preparedness. He has written down a dozen tentative sentences to introduce the subject. We call a few of them as mere suggestions. He imagines himself starting the conversation with one of the following phrases:

"You look very nice across a table."

"I think cooking like yours would keep you in good humor forever."

"Do you object to smoking about the house? I don't smoke."

"The high cost of living isn't so high after all, is it?"

"Would you mind beginning to look like me?"

"I suppose, like all girls, you intend to remain an old maid."

"Do your clothes look up in the back?"

"Yes, I know I dance like a camel, but that is because life was a desert for me until this evening."—Rehebeboth Sunday Herald.

At Waking

There is a twilight moment, drifting, creeping Along the fog above the shoals of sleeping, And brings a smothered sense of silent weeping.

In that half-moment, glimmering in the gray Of last night's ocean lapping at the day.

Ever in that numbered time, there comes a wonder At some unrest which surges deeply under.

And murmurs "I have never been apart: I breathe in your breath and ride your heart."

No silence of the night may bring me rest, Or soothe me from my vigil in your breast."

Then, as I startle in awakened, Comes the full glow of the brightness And bathes me in the light of naked day.

And you—ah, you! the rest I dare not say.

Only that I am here and you—away.

EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I went on a ride yesterday morning down through Concord, and made another visit to the old battleground, which seems always to hold a certain amount of interest, regardless of the number of times we frequent the memorable spot. A group of people were wandering about, and as I came nearer I found the party to be made up of Japanese men and women. They had come there in a large limousine, and their chauffeur was to all appearances an American. The men carried large folding kodaks, and they had no doubt snapped the statue of the minute man, the monument and various other historical tabernacles. I learned also that this hallowed ground had been visited by scores of soldiers, during the summer months, and that on

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NO SHIPS MEAN HORSES FOR ARABS

LONDON, Jan. 21.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Owing to lack of ships to bring them to England, 100,000 horses and mules of the British army in the eastern theatres of the war are to be sold to the Arabs or destroyed. That announcement has been made by Major-General Sir W. H. Birkbeck, director of remounts. He has also stated that, of the British army's total of 750,000 horses in Europe, a large number of which were purchased in the United States—only those that are sound and under 12 years old will be shipped here. About 125,000 war horses are to be brought to England, and Belgium is to have 50,000 for reconstruction work. General Birkbeck said: "We want to distribute them all over the country by big sales, in cities up to 100 animals, and to smaller towns up to 25. There is an unaccountable prejudice against mules in this country. At present we have in England about 10,000 mules, many of which we want to sell, but people don't seem inclined to buy them. The mule is an economical animal which does not eat so much as a horse, and for every horse that goes sick, less than half a mule is sick."

TURKS EXPERIENCED MUCH PROFITEERING

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Profiteering was carried to such an extreme in Turkey during the war that, in the opinion of

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a special representative of the British press at Constantinople, it passes comprehension how people managed to live. Writing from Constantinople, he says:

"There is no doubt that Turkey during the war was largely the plaything of Enver Pasha, Talaat Pasha and their band of satellites. They reduced the country to a state of wholesale corruption remarkable for Turkey, and in amazing riches themselves allowed economic conditions to become a nightmare."

"Nowhere else in the whole area of the war have the prices of commodities approached anything like the heights known here. The right to use a railway wagon was sold for 1000. The profiteer who secured it bought, say, sugar from Austria or Germany at a shilling or so a pound, and sold it at two or three hundred times its value, making 150,000 or more on a single consignment of modest dimensions."

Lloyd Hinkle, a member of the 149th hospital unit, stationed at Park View Station, Pittsburgh, Penn. didn't get to France, but he weighs 205 pounds now, 24 pounds more than he weighed when he went into the army, last August.

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hold an examination for fire alarm
men at city hall Friday, Jan.
23, 9:30 a. m.
Additional cases of influenza
were reported at the office of the
board of health today. The total for
yesterday was 85.
There will be a special meeting of
the municipal council Friday at 10
a. m. The meeting has been called
by Commissioner Morse, but for what
purpose he has not divulged.
Miss Mabel I. Harmon, formerly of

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Most soaps and prepared shampoos
contain too much alkali, which is very
injurious, as it dries the scalp and
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The best thing to use is just plain
unsifted coconut oil, for this is pure
and entirely greaseless. It's very
cheap, and beats the most expensive
soaps or anything else all to pieces.
You can get this at any drug store,
and a few ounces will last the whole
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Simply moisten the hair with water
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all that is required. It makes an
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easily. The hair dries quickly and
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this city, who has been visiting Mrs.
Clifton Girard, Whipple road, Tewks-
bury, has returned to Howard, R. I., to
complete her training as nurse.

Mayor and Mrs. Perry D. Thompson
will be in the receiving line at the
annual ball to be held at the Hotel
Somerset this evening by the New Eng-
land Boat & Shoe Manufacturers' club.

Albert Vignani and Eugene L.
Douglas of Lowell, and Herbert A.
Fairbrother of North Billerica, were
among the New Englanders who ar-
rived on the transport Melita at Boston
yesterday.

Members of the local companies of
the state guard will be interested in
bill 1270 which has been filed with
the clerk of the house of representa-
tives in Boston entitled, "Relative to
the uniform and equipment of the
state guard."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregoire of Van-
noy street received a telephone mes-
sage last night to the effect that their
son, Priv. Arthur E. Gregoire of the
2d Provisional S.T.D., 26th squadron,
located at Vancouver, Wash., is now
en route for Camp Devens for de-
mobilization.

A telephone alarm at 3:33 o'clock
this morning summoned a portion of
the fire department to 72 Davidson
street, where a wooden box in the rear
of the store was on fire. There was
no damage. The property is owned
by the estate of Patrick Kelley.

The International club held its regu-
lar meeting yesterday afternoon at the
Y.W.C.A. A very interesting paper
on "Scribble" was read by one of the
members, and a few business matters
were transacted. Rev. Mr. Kennedy,
of the First Presbyterian church, will
address the meeting to be held next
Tuesday.

Parker Murphy, secretary of Lodge
138, Machinists' union, has returned
from the Mooney convention, which
was held last week in Chicago. Mr.
Murphy reports that about 1500 dele-
gates representing every trade craft
in the labor world were in attendance.
Mr. Murphy's official report of the do-
ings of the convention will be made at
the regular meeting of the lodge next
Sunday.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Hendrick F. Johnson and Miss
Betty V. Rodman, two popular em-
ployees of the local office of the Bos-
ton & Maine, were married Jan. 18 by
Rev. Dr. C. E. Fisher. The couple
were attended by Mrs. Charles Brock.

WOMEN AT WORK

During the war, millions of women
have been at work in vocations into
which they have never before been
called—in munition factories, chemi-
cal works, mental works, street rail-
ways, and as ambulance drivers,
barbers, and elevator girls. Un-
doubtedly thousands of others have
longed to serve in this way, but be-
cause of female ailments, which had
fastened upon them, were not able to
do so. Women in this condition
should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-
table Compound a trial and find
health and strength, as thousands of
others have so done.—Adv.

THESE WAR EMBLEMS
ARE PUZZLING

Stripes, stars and cords, official and
non-official, seem to be puzzling even
their khaki-clad wearers in these af-
ter the war days. Scarcely a day passes
but some Lowell doughboy appears
with a stripe, star or cord so placed
on his uniform as to excite the curiosi-
ty and interest of many to whom
things military are a mystery.

Inquiry develops the fact that of the
constantly increasing array of chev-
rons, stars and cords, the chevrons
alone are official. All other insignia,
with the exception of certain horizon-
tal bars, may mean any number of
things to the boys who wear them,
but as few of them agree as to the
reason of their acquisition, there natu-
rally exists some uncertainty in the
mind of the public as to their official
standing.

The government has ruled that a
gold chevron worn on the left arm de-
notes six months' service overseas.
Two gold chevrons worn in the same
positions signify a year, and three, 18
months. Worn on the right arm, the
gold chevron becomes a wound or gas
emblem.

Silver chevrons signify home ser-
vice, and as in the case of the gold
chevrons, one is granted for every six
months. Senior chevrons worn on the
left arm between elbow and shoulder
denotes honorable discharge from duty,
and a light blue chevron, also worn on
the left arm, gives testimony that the
wearer has served less than six months
overseas. The same ruling applies to
the navy, the only difference being
that in the case of the blue jacket the
chevrons are inverted.

Gold and silver stars may eventual-
ly

Russia Must Be Settled First
Continued

anxious to secure the evidence of ac-
crued Bolshevik representatives as to
the status of Russian affairs.

"French opinion," continues the
newspaper, "is not at present in fa-
vor of even this admission of the Bol-
shevik regime, but the English propos-
al is that the Bolshevik govern-
ment should be invited to give evi-
dence, the English suggestion being
that representatives of Russia should
be invited to come to Paris and tell
the conference exactly what territorial
claims they have. If, therefore, an
agreement can be reached as to terri-
torial delimitations, the different Rus-
sian governments can be defined and
requested to confine their claims, and
ambitions to such territories and cease
attempting to extend them by armed
force.

"Unless this is done, Mr. Lloyd
George fears a parallel with the
French revolution when an attempt at
interference by external powers led
to the creation of the great national
army. Such an event might occur in
Russia if allied armed intervention
were pursued. The Bolshevik army
might be reinvigorated and constitute
a serious and continued menace to the
peace of Europe.

"French opinion, on the other hand,
seems inclined to support the Poles,
who state that they are prepared to
raise an army and to limit, if not
crush, Bolshevism, if assisted with in-
fantry and officers.

"The Bolshevik attitude, as far as it
can be understood at present, is this:
They do not desire to become a great
industrial nation and are anxious that
Russia remain purely agrarian and
self-supporting.

"This view is understood to have
been put forward yesterday by Harold
Scavenius, the Danish minister to Rus-
sia, in the course of his evidence. (The
supreme council of the peace confer-
ence). The English fear that un-
less great care be taken Bolshevism
Russia may be forced to depend com-
mercially on Germany."

Irish Message to Free Nations
Continued

raised on the vote of the "Dail Bi-
rean." The constitution may be al-
tered upon several days' notice.

Count Plunkett, Prof. Edward de
Valera and Arthur Griffith will prob-
ably be appointed Irish delegates to
the peace conference today.

Ireland Appeals to Free Nations
The government took no notice yester-
day that anything unusual was afoot
here. Members of the assembly poured
out quietly into the crowd of undem-
onstrative sympathizers and curious
onlookers, but beyond the fringes of
the crowd the streets were filled with
women shoppers and unarmed British
soldiers who looked on the sidewalk.

The only sign of interest which citi-
zens displayed was the banking out
of a large number of Union Jacks to
testify to the policies of the house they
decorated.

The "address to free nations" adopt-
ed by the assembly yesterday, "calls
upon every free nation to support the
Irish republic by recognizing Ireland's
national status and her right to vin-
dication at the peace conference," and
continues:

"Ireland's independence is demanded.
By the freedom of the seas her great
harbors will be opened to all nations,
instead of being a monopoly to Eng-
land.
"Today these harbors are empty,
and idle solely because Ireland irrev-
ocably determined at the dawn of
the promised era of self-determination
and liberty, that she will suffer for-
eign domination no longer. Call on
every free nation to uphold her na-
tional claim to complete independence
as an Irish republic against the ar-
rogant pretensions of England, which
were founded on fraud and sustained
by overwhelming military occupation.
She demands to be confronted publicly
with England at the congress of na-
tions, that the civilized world, having
judged between English wrong and
Irish right, may guarantee Ireland its
permanent support for the maintenance
of national independence."

Tipperary Punished

The British government has decided
to proclaim the Tipperary district a
military area in consequence of the
killing of two policemen and the seizure
of blasting explosives which they were
guarding in a quarry. The crime was
committed by unknown persons who
made their escape.

Prisco's Chimes Rejoice

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—In cele-
bration of the declaration of Ireland's
independence by the assembly at Dub-
lin, the tune of "The Nation Once
Again" and other Irish songs were
sounded on the chiming of St. Patrick's
Catholic church in the heart of the
business section yesterday. The
chimes' master, Fr. Paul Anderson,
played the airs with the consent of
the church authorities.



Centre—Augustus Crehan. Left—Walter Pearson. Right—James Murphy
Photo by Marion

BOYS CONGRATULATED

Many Compliments For Boys
Who Arrested Man Want-
ed For Murder

There is no end to the compli-
ments and congratulations bestowed
upon Augustus Crehan, Walter H.
Pearson and James Murphy, the
three young men who, on Monday
night, arrested George Shields, the
alleged murderer of Mrs. Rose Tray-
nor. The young men, so it was
learned, were not personally acquaint-
ed with the alleged slayer but they
recognized him through a description
given them by Elmer Lord, the eight-
year-old boy, who it is claimed, was
the only eye witness of the tragedy.

After spotting, shadowing and grab-
bing their man, one of the trio went
to the Lord home in Lincoln street
and brought along Master Elmer to
identify Shields, which he did the
minute he set eyes on him and it was
then that the man wanted for murder
was rushed to the police station.

The boys claim they had no diffi-
culty in holding their prisoner, and
their friends are not astonished at
this statement, for although of me-
dium build the three are good ath-
letes, and they are constantly in
training, being members of a social
and athletic club with quarters in the
district known as Ayer city.

Augustus Crehan is 20 years of age
and makes his home with his mother,
Mrs. Catherine Crehan at 53 Fruit
street. He attended the Lincoln
school and later the Butler school
from which he graduated at the age
of 14 years. He is now employed
at the Boston & Maine car shops in
Billerica.

James Murphy is 17 years of age
ly come to enjoy a definite meaning,
but at present they are not officially
regulated. As a result, one soldier will
affirm he wears it because he is an
enlisted man, while another will give
a widely divergent reason. The same
applies to the citation cords. There ap-
pears to be as well some difference of
opinion as to the insignia of the Yan-

kee division. One returned soldier has
insisted upon fastening done in dark
blue, while another demanded that the
"Y. D." be worked out in light blue.

Two new war ribbons have been in-
sued by the government. One de-
voted a third of its surface respect-
ively to the red, white and blue, the
white square forming centre, and is
designed for use of fighters who en-
listed for war service "over there."

The other, a two-inch ribbon, has a
centre section of red, white and blue
with the national colors in the ac-
cepted order at the other end, and is
to be worn only by fighters who have
seen service overseas.

Two additional ribbons that will be
seen on the streets of Lowell when
some more of our gallant fighters are
returned to us are these worn by men
who have won the distinguished ser-
vice medal or cross. Winners of this
medal which is awarded to any boy
who has distinguished himself by ex-
ceptionally meritorious service in a
duty of great responsibility during the
days of the war, are privileged to wear
an inch ribbon with a broad white

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centre flanked by narrow red stripes
and broad ends of blue. The ribbon
assigned to the winner of the distin-
guished service cross, which is a new
decoration awarded by President Wil-
son, and is to be worn only by those
who have distinguished themselves by
extraordinary heroism in connection

with military operations, is a horizon-
tal band with a wide blue centre
flanked by white and with ends of red.

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Out \$2.98
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\$15.00 Karamie Plush Scarf. To Close Out \$7.50
\$15.00 and \$18.50 Odd Muffs. To Close Out... \$7.50
\$30.00 Beaver Muff. To Close Out..... \$10.00
\$25.00 Black Lynx Muff. To Close Out..... \$10.00
\$35.00 Black Lynx Muff. To Close Out..... \$15.00
\$25.00 Marten Scarf. To Close Out..... \$10.00
\$40.00 Marten Muff. To Close Out..... \$20.00
\$40.00 Misses' Blue Fox Set. To Close Out... \$25.00
\$3.98 Bath Robes, slightly soiled. To Close Out \$1.98
\$7.50 Children's Separate Muffs (4 only). To Close
Out \$1.98
\$7.50 and \$12.50 Children's Fur Sets (2 only). To
Close Out \$2.98
\$12.50 Silk Poplin Dresses. To Close Out... \$7.50
\$15.00 Children's Winter Coats. To Close Out \$5.00
\$25.00 Satin Dresses. To Close Out..... \$15.00
\$18.50 Satin Dresses. To Close Out..... \$12.50
\$30 Serge Suits, size 46, 2 only. To Close Out \$12.50
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COTTON HOSE—Men's cotton hose, very fine quality, black, tan
and gray, high spliced heel and toe, second grade of the 2nd
quality, at 12½c Pair
KHAKI SHIRTS—Men's shirts, made of fine quality (will khaki
cloth, standard make. \$1.50 value, at 75c Each

READY-TO-WEAR SECTION

CORSET COVERS—Ladies' corset covers, made of very fine qual-
ity nainsook, trimmed with lace or embroidery front and back,
50c value, at 35c Each; 3 for \$1.00
WHITE SKIRTS—Ladies' long white skirts, made of fine cambric,
with deep embroidery flouncing, 60c value, at 35c Each
FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS—Ladies' night gowns, made of
heavy bleached domest flannel, cut full sizes, \$2.00 value, at
\$1.00 Each

DRY GOODS SECTION

LINEN CRASH—20 pieces of brown union crash (loweling, very
absorbent, 20c value, at 12½c Yard
TURKISH TOWELS—Very large size Turkish towels, heavy two-
thread bleached and hemmed, 80c value, at 50c
TABLE COVERS—100 fine mervelized table covers, assorted sizes,
\$2.00 and \$2.50 value, at \$1.50 Each
GINGHAMS—Mill remnants of best quality 32 inch gingham,
assorted patterns, plaids, checks and plain colors, 35c value on
the piece, at 20c Yard
FEATHER TICKING—Mill remnants of best quality feather tick-
ing, 50c value on the piece, at 30c Yard
DOMEST FLANNEL—Mill remnants of yard wide domest flannel,
bleached and unbleached, 29c value, at 12½c Yard
SHEETS—30 dozen bed sheets, made of good bleached cotton,
\$1.30 value, at 89c Each
BLEACHED COTTON—1000 yards of good bleached cotton in
large remnants, 20c value, at 15c Yard
PILLOW TUBING—Large remnants of good quality pillow tubing,
40 and 42 inches wide, 35c and 40c value, at 30c Yard
BLANKETS—300 wool nap blankets, singles, plaids and gray,
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BASEMENT PALMER STREET

"Let England Face Us at Peace Table," Ireland Says "Hands Off Poles," Britain's Request to Germany Lawrence Workers Want 8 Hour Day and no Pay Cut

BLAME WILSON FOR IDLE YARDS

Senator Says President Refused To Let U. S. Workers Build Ships For Europe

"Let Interests of American Labor Be Protected," Washington Solon Says

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—President Wilson's failure to remove restrictions against the construction in American shipyards of steel ships for foreign account was criticised in the senate today by Senator Jones of Washington, who declared it unjustifiable and "most criminal."

"Such a policy," he said, "not only compelled shipyards to suspend operations, throwing thousands of men out of employment, but resulted in these contracts being awarded to firms in other countries."

"We were asked," he said, "to give up our just rights in the Panama canal to help the president solve mysterious problems between this country and another country. We did it and to this day no one knows what benefit it was to us. After the armistice was entered into and the war was practically over, Secretary Redfield recommended that the United States should stand back and allow other countries to have the first chance at the world's export trade in order that they may rehabilitate themselves. And now when we are confronted with the perplexing problems of peace the president himself refuses to permit our shipyards to take contracts to build steel ships for foreign account."

"American shipyards are closed. American labor is idle. American resources are unused. Hundreds of millions of foreign capital waiting to come here in flood to foreign countries. What? Because an American president refuses to disclose reasons to permit our people to take these contracts and build these ships. No reason is given to justify this action. None can be given to justify it."

"It may be all right to try to rectify all the wrongs suffered by any country or people in Europe. It may be necessary to appropriate millions of dollars to enable the president to consummate a peace in harmony with his idealistic hopes and aspirations, but while we are doing this we have a right to ask him to have some regard for the rights and interests of our own people. Our people have the right to expect and to demand that an American policy be followed, protecting, safeguarding and promoting the rights, interests and welfare of the American people, labor and industries."

BAD BUNCH ESCAPES FROM CHICAGO JAIL

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—A wide search was conducted today for several prisoners who escaped from the county jail last night. The four included murderers, holdup men and burglars.

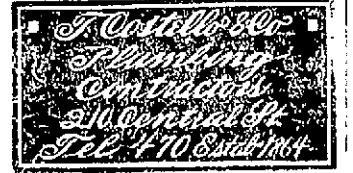
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BRITAIN GUARDS POLES

Germany Replies That Poles Stir Up Much Trouble in East Prussia

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 22.—In reply to a British note requesting the German government to refrain from further provocation of the Polish population in East and West Prussia, Posen and Silesia, the German government, according to a despatch from Berlin, expresses agreement with Great Britain that the future of the German eastern frontiers depends upon the peace conference.

Surprise is expressed at the request to refrain from provocation. The German note says the request "can only be attributed to the fact that the British government is inadequately informed of events in the east."

It is declared that Germany has done everything to redress Polish grievances, and accuses the Poles of continually provoking the Germans. It says that Posen is in a state of upheaval and that the German population has appealed for help to the German government, which has been forced to take military measures to restore law and order. The note asserts that while the German government has refrained from action against Polish nationalists who "planned and committed treason and revolt," it cannot "suffer ambitious imperialism to reign supreme."

CONGRESS ON TRAIL OF FAKE PACIFISTS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Archibald Stevenson of New York, a representative of the military intelligence service, testifying today before the senate propaganda investigating committee, declared a large number of professors in American colleges and universities subscribed to radical and pacifist views. This, he said, was particularly true of professors and instructors in sociology, economics and history.

The witness said the names of such professors were obtained in the investigation of the intelligence service and that he was prepared to give them to the committee.

Senator King of Utah remarked that it was "time to weed out and drive out of our universities these pernicious teachings."

The committee decided to discuss in executive session whether the names of the professors should be made public.

Mr. Stevenson gave the names of several organizations which he said were classified either as pacifist or pro-German or both in their purposes. Referring to the Ford peace party before the entrance of the United States into the war, he said Rosika Schwimmer, who aided in the movement and accompanied the peace ship to Europe, undoubtedly was a German agent.

CHANCELLOR SPEAKS ON LEAGUE OF NATIONS

BERLIN, Tuesday, Jan. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Dr. von Bethmann-Holweg, German chancellor at the outbreak of the war, has made the following statement to the Associated Press concerning peace questions:

"I am asked what constitutes a peace of justice. I answer gladly. President Wilson has announced an exalted program for the future regulation of international amity and that there shall be an arrangement similar to that which has long been the aim and policy of all individual states. Just as a constitution guarantees to a citizen in the exercise of his fundamental rights as a human being, protection against violence and freedom and integrity of person and property and honor, so the new league of nations shall assure to all states, great or small, those rights which are consequent upon mutual recognition and respect."

"Only if the peace to be concluded is animated by this spirit can it deserve the name of a peace of justice. If the victor exploits the distressed conditions of the conquered, violates his body, compels him to employ his forces of blood and property in enslaved service, he can then, it seems, count his power, but justice will tell her head and the ideal of a league of nations will sink into dust and ashes under the domination of a new international bolshevism."

"What do I think about the division of responsibility for the war? My answer is plain. I have precisely the same opinion today which I always have had and which as chancellor I repeatedly expressed in the rebuffing I have never carried on a spurious propaganda, but have always endeavored to serve the truth."

RUSSIA MUST BE SETTLED FIRST

Wilson and Lloyd George Decide League Plans To Be Discussed Afterward

French Are Disposed To Back Poles and Give Them Weapons Against Reds

PARIS, Jan. 22.—President Wilson and Premier Lloyd George are in complete agreement as regards the Russian situation, according to the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail. They regard a settlement of the Russian question as absolutely preliminary to the formation of a league of nations, the newspaper declares, and they are

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Haverhill Faces Big Shoe Strike Affecting 63 Shops

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 22.—Five thousand members of the Shoe Workers Protective union were called out of 63 factories this afternoon, to assemble in mass meetings at city hall and Lafayette hall to discuss questions affecting the industrial situation in Haverhill. Claims are made that a few factories who have accepted the Boot and Shoe Workers' stamp have locked out members of the Shoe Workers Protective union.

FOOD TICKET LURED HUNS 113 OBJECTORS FREED FROM LEAVENWORTH

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Secretary Baker today ordered the release of 113 conscientious objectors held at Fort Leavenworth, the remission of the unexecuted portions of their sentences, their "honorable restoration to duty and immediate discharge from the army."

The men released comprise two classes. In one group are 30 men who heretofore have been recommended by the board of inquiry, headed by Judge Julian Mack, for furlough. Group two includes those men whom the board of inquiry on re-examination found to be sincere and who in its judgment would have been recommended for furloughs if they had had opportunity of being examined by it before the court-martial proceedings.

OUR BOYS IN EUROPE NOT TO STARVE

TOURS, Jan. 22.—Correspondence of The Associated Press.—Wherever goes hungry in Europe this winter it will not be the American soldiers. The daily stocks in hand reported by the quartermasters department of the American Expeditionary forces gives an idea of supplies only when it is remembered they represent reserves held between daily consumption and arrivals known to be enroute. Potatoes furnish a striking example. The stock in hand at the last report was 2,200,000 pounds and yet the American forces are receiving 20,000 tons of potatoes a month which makes 60,000,000 pounds chiefly from Ireland. Potatoes being perishable it would not be wise to keep double the daily stocks in hand. Others were as follows:

Fresh beef, 15,000,000 pounds; tinned beef, 22,750,000 pounds; tinned salmon, 25,200,000 pounds; tinned salmon, 2,440,000 pounds; flour, 166,000,000 pounds; oatmeal, 2,000,000 pounds; cornmeal, 5,000,000 pounds; dry beans, 25,000,000 pounds; baked beans, 27,000,000 pounds; rice, 8,000,000 pounds; onion, 1,000,000 pounds; tomatoes, 25,000,000 pounds; jams, 2,000,000 pounds; prunes, 2,000,000 pounds; sugar, 25,000,000 pounds.

STONEHAM TREASURER GETS 5 TO 7 YEARS

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 22.—W. Padilla Gray, former town treasurer of Stoneham, was sentenced to from five to seven years in state prison in the superior court today. He pleaded guilty to an indictment charging larceny of \$15,500 of town funds.

PRES. WILSON MAY LAND IN BOSTON

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—President Wilson today cabled Mayor Peters that he was writing him regarding an invitation to return to the United States through this port. "Greatly appreciate your cable and am writing," the message said.

HENRY YERXA, HUB GROCER, DIES TODAY

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 22.—Henry D. Yerxa, president of Cobb, Bates and Yerxa company, grocers, of Boston, died at his home here today. He served several terms on the governor's council. Mr. Yerxa was 72 years old.

BACK FROM WAR ZONE

Member of Co. M of the Old Fighting Ninth Returns From France

After being in France for nearly sixteen months and spending the greater part of that time in active fighting with Co. M of the old fighting Ninth regiment, known now as the 101st, Private Edward Coughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius P. Coughlin of 2 Simpson place, has returned to Lowell for a short furlough pending his discharge from Camp Devens, where he is listed in a casual detachment. Private Coughlin was gassed and wounded overseas and although he has nearly recovered from his wound, he is still suffering from the effects of gas received at Seicheprey last June. He was wounded at the battle of the Argonne forest, Oct. 23, and was from then on disabled.

Private Coughlin saw practically all

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HUB COPS FIND BOTTLE BOMB AND MAKER

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—A "bomb" contained in a milk bottle was found today in a doorway at the plant of E. D. Abbott & Company, printers, in the Back Bay district. It was composed of smokeless powder, match heads, pebbles, glass and nails and according to state chemist Walter Wedger, constituted a highly incendiary combination which might have been exploded by dropping.

After arresting Peter A. Bailey, who was found in the vicinity, police searched his room on Warren street, in the Roxbury district, and seized a quantity of powder, shells, glass and other ingredients.

Bailey, who was an employee of the Abbott company, told the police that he had been experimenting with bombs with a view to improving the depth bombs used in submarine warfare, and devising one to be dropped from airplanes. He was sent to the psychopathic hospital for observation.

"8 HOUR DAY, NO CUT," SAYS LAWRENCE

LAWRENCE, Jan. 22.—Operatives of the Wood and Washington mills of the American Woolen company, through representatives, conferred with the agents today in regard to the 48 hour movement and were practically unanimous in the assertion that what the workers wanted was a 48 hour week with 54 hours' pay. No conference was held at the Ayer mill because the workers did not show up.

HELPING TO SOLVE LABOR PROBLEM

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy of the street department now has 275 men working in his department and is thereby helping to solve the labor situation to some extent. At the corresponding time a year ago there was a slightly larger number of men employed but this was due to a large snow storm.

There are 45 men employed on the Vermont avenue sewer at present and the job is being rushed with all possible rapidity. If there is not too much ledge struck within the next few days more men will be put on the job.

NOTICE

All workers formerly employed (nights) at our Bigelow, Market Street Plant, will receive wages due them at the Market Street Labor Office, Thursday, Jan. 23, as follows:—

Loading Dept. 11 A. M.
Packing Dept. 11 A. M.
Finish Shell Dept. 2.30 p. m.
Bullet Dept. 2.30 p. m.

Overseers and time clerks will be in attendance to distribute time cards.

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CONGRESS SENDS POLISH MISSION

Peace Table To Have Reliable Data on New Republic Very Shortly Now

Idea Is Also Probably To Find Out About Influence of Bolsheviks

PARIS, Jan. 22.—The supreme council of the peace conference today decided to send a mission to Poland. This information was contained in the official statement of the proceedings. A proposal from President Wilson regarding the Russian question would be discussed this afternoon, the statement added.

Still Discussing Russia

FIVE HEROIC DIVISIONS IRISH MESSAGE TO FREE NATIONS

Bore Brunt of Battle All Through War—Three Belonged to National Guard

(Special to The Sun)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22.—George Rothwell Brown, of the Washington Post, pays high tribute to the 5th Division as he found it during his many months in France as war correspondent.

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BAKER ANNOUNCES OVERSEAS TROOPS SOON TO BE STARTED ED FOR HOME

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Additional organizations assigned to early convey home, comprising 270 officers and 4937 men, were announced today by the war department. Included in the list are the 38th regiment, coast artillery, less 3rd battalion; base hospital No. 15; 90th and 104th aero squadrons; 39th company transportation corps; 1st and 2nd casual companies; transportation corps; cement mill companies Nos. 2, 4 and 6; 17th and 18th balloon companies; 100th field signal battalion; 46th pontoon train; 40th telegraph battalion; base hospital No. 24; tank corps battalions Nos. 22, 33, 35, 37; tank corps replacement and salvage companies 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 391, 397 and 318; tank corps casual companies A, B and C.

G.O.P. MAN TO SIT AT PEACE TABLE

Wilson Considers Choice of Delegate To Act in His Place When He Returns

Names of Taft and Root Have Been Prominently Mentioned For Place

PARIS, Jan. 22.—While the peace congress is settling into action, the question of President Wilson naming a fifth delegate to act on the American mission when he, himself, departs for home, has again arisen, and the names of Elihu Root and William H. Taft have been mentioned. President Wilson's decision on the appointment of another delegate depends wholly on whether he will consider it necessary to re-

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NOTICE TO TEAM CAPTAINS:—

There will be an important meeting of the team captains for supper at 6.30 p. m. on Thursday evening, January 23, in the Assembly Room, War Work Building, 117 Merrimack street. All captains are urged to attend as important business will be discussed after the supper.

NEW CHARTER SECTIONS

Provisions of the Corbett Charter Proposed For Lowell in Legislature

Below are given additional sections of the proposed charter introduced by Rep. Corbett and on which a hearing may be given in the near future. Section 14 provides that the order of candidates' names on the ballot shall be settled by lot and not by alphabetical precedence, as under the present charter. Section 15, it will be noted, settles the matter of a tie vote. Unless more than the required number of candidates are running for the nomination no preliminary election will be held.

Section 2. Women qualified to vote for school committee may be candidates for nomination to membership therein at any preliminary election at which candidates therefor are to be nominated; provided, that they file the above described statement and accompanying petition, signed by twenty-five voters qualified to vote for members of the school committee, and at preliminary, special or annual election

such preliminary election may vote for candidates for said committee, but for no others.

Section 16. On the first day, other than Sunday or a legal holiday, following the expiration of the time for filing the above described statement and petition, the city clerk shall post in a conspicuous place in the city hall the names and residences of the candidates for nomination who have duly qualified as candidates for nomination. They are to appear on the official ballots to be used at the preliminary election, except as to the order of the names, and shall cause the ballots which shall contain said names, in their order as drawn by the clerk, and no others, with a designation of residence, and of the office and term of service, to be printed, and the ballots so printed shall be official and no others shall be used at the preliminary election. In drawings for position on the ballot the candidates shall have an opportunity to be present in person or by one representative. Blank spaces shall be left at the end of each list of candidates for nomination for the different offices equal to the number to be nominated therefor, in which the voter may insert the name of any person not printed on the ballot for whom he desires to vote for nomination for such office. There shall be printed on such ballots such directions as will aid the voters, as, for example: "Vote for one," "Vote for two," and the like, which heading shall be varied in accordance with the offices for which nominations are to be made.

Section 11. No ballot used at any preliminary, special or annual election

shall have printed thereon, or appended to the name of any candidate, any party or other political designation or mark, or anything showing how any candidate was nominated, or indicating his views or opinions.

Section 12. The election officers shall, immediately upon the closing of the polls at preliminary elections, count the ballots and ascertain the number of votes cast in the several voting places for each candidate, and forthwith make return thereof upon blanks to be furnished, as in annual elections, to the clerk of the city, who shall cause the results thereof, published in the same in one or more newspapers published in the city, and post the same in a conspicuous place in the city hall.

Section 13. The two persons receiving at a preliminary election the highest number of votes for nomination for an office shall be the sole candidates for that office whose names may be printed on the official ballot to be used at the annual or special election at which such office is to be filled, and no acceptance of a nomination at a preliminary election shall be necessary to its validity.

If two or more persons are to be elected to the same office at such annual or special election the several persons in number equal to twice the number so to be elected receiving at such preliminary election the highest number of votes for nomination for that office, or all such persons, if less than twice the number of those so to be elected, shall be the sole candidates for that office whose names may be printed on the official ballot.

If the preliminary election results in a tie vote among candidates for nomination receiving the lowest number of votes, which, but for said tie vote, would entitle a person receiving the same to have his name printed upon the official ballot for the election, all candidates participating in said tie vote shall have their names printed upon the official ballot, although in consequence thereof be printed thereon candidates to a number exceeding twice the number to be elected.

Section 14. If at the expiration of the time for filing statements of candidates to be voted for at any preliminary election, not more than two candidates for any office have been filed, the names of such candidates shall be printed upon the official ballot, and no other nomination shall be deemed to have been made. And if at the expiration of the time for filing statements of candidates to be voted for at any preliminary election, not more than two candidates for any office have been filed, the names of such candidates shall be printed upon the official ballot, and no other nomination shall be deemed to have been made. And if at the expiration of the time for filing statements of candidates to be voted for at any preliminary election, not more than two candidates for any office have been filed, the names of such candidates shall be printed upon the official ballot, and no other nomination shall be deemed to have been made.

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FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT ASSOCIATE HALL

Approximately 1500 people showed their appreciation of the capabilities of the Lowell Young Men's and Young Women's Hebrew association as entertainers when they crowded Associate hall last evening on the occasion of the eighth annual ball of these popular organizations.

Mayor and Mrs. Thompson were the guests of honor, and there were several out of town guests. About 100 doughboys came from Camp Devens at the invitation of the local Jewish Welfare board, and gave the affair a decided military appearance.

A pleasing musical program by the Miner-Doyle Jazz orchestra opened the evening, after which every one joined in a short "sing" under the leadership of Albert Edmund Brown. During an intermission at 10:30 o'clock the two Dewire sisters, Marie and Dora, aged 10 and 12 years respectively, made the biggest hit of the evening when they gave a little dancing exhibition of their own, starting with a Scotch fling and following this by several Irish and Spanish folk dances. If they had not been a singularly modest little pair the applause they received would surely have turned their heads.

The decorations were of a high order. Blue and white were the prevailing colors, surmounted by the national emblem and there was enough red, white and blue hunting to give the scene an attractive and patriotic aspect. The stage was decorated with a tasteful arrangement of the national and Jewish colors on a background of deep blue.

The officers of the dance were:

Chief marshal, Isadore Green; assistant chief marshals, Mrs. I. Quinn, Frank Goldman and Miss Mra Levine; floor director, Max Carp; assistant floor directors, Sig Rostler, William Levine, Mrs. A. Stein; chief aid, Abraham S. Goldman; assistant chief aids, Mrs. Max Carp, Isaac Quinn and Sam Abrams; aids: Mrs. A. S. Goldman, Miss Sarah Shapiro, Miss Bessie Brans, Miss Tibie Rosenfeld, Miss Bertha Braverman; S. Baker, Rose Blank, Sydney Greenberg, Isidore Melman, Percy Gerson, Mrs. I. Green, Max Katze, Ira Harris, Maurice Cream, Louis H. Berger.

Reception committee: Dr. Samuel Horne, chairman; Julius Neyman, Da-

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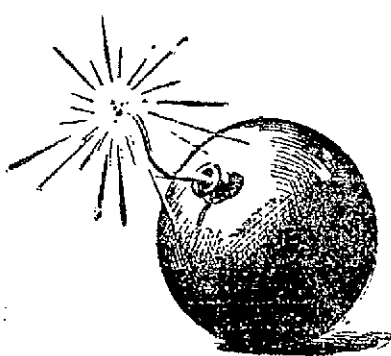
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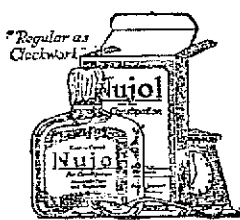
Not all of us know that we are packing around with us every day a potential source of trouble that may produce disease or even death. Ninety per cent of human illness is caused or aggravated by a clogging of waste in your bowels.

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NEW ENGLAND NAMES ON THE CASUALTY LIST

There are 43 names of New England soldiers on today's casualty list, although it is a comparatively small one. There are no Lowell names on the list, however.

Killed in Action

Cor. Matthew R. Ray, Boston, Mass.
Pr. Lester G. Chandler, Brockton, Mass.
Pr. Dewey G. Clark, Cape Neddick, Me.
Pr. Henry D. Donno, Brandon, Vt.
Died from Wounds
Cor. Robert E. Berthman, Providence, R. I.
Pr. Lorenzo Martell, Milton, Vt.

Died from Accident

Lt. Holyoke Whitney, Dedham, Mass.
Cor. Wilfred J. Welsh, Winoski, Vt.
Wag. James W. Donovan, Pawtucket, R. I.
Pr. Garrett Piggott, Medford, Mass.
Pr. Jediah R. Simmons, Rockport, Me.

Missing in Action

Pr. Romeo Levasseur, Vanburen, Me.
Died of Disease
Cor. Frank P. Lynch, Brattleboro, Vt.
Cor. William A. Smith, Millbury, Mass.
Chauffeur Arthur B. Manning, North Waterford, Me.
Pr. John H. Baker, Andover, Mass.
Pr. Nelson E. Corbett, Melrose, Mass.
Pr. Edward J. Person, West Roxbury, Mass.

Pr. William A. Larmont, Worcester, Mass.

Pr. John McGarvey, Stoughton, Mass.

Pr. Israel Sargent, New Britain, Conn.

Wounded Severely

Ser. Alfred E. Dudley, Providence, R. I.

Cor. Clesson C. Schofield, Somerville, Mass.

Wag. John A. Simmons, Providence, R. I.

Pr. Samuel Cignore, Johnson, R. I.

Pr. Howard P. Davis, Provincetown, Mass.

Pr. Arthur M. Deverell, Providence, R. I.

Pr. Alfred L. Parkman, Lynn, Mass.

Pr. Leo Svagdis, South Boston, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)

Previously Reported Killed in Action

Cor. Glen W. Bassett, Wilmington, Vt.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported

Died from Wounds

Mech. Karl N. Hanscom, Portsmouth, N. H.

Killed in Action, Previously Reported

Missing in Action

Pr. Michael J. McNerney, New Haven, Conn.

Died from Wounds Received in Action

Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Guglielmo Bellini, Chelsea, Mass.

Wounded (Degree Undetermined)

Previously Reported Missing in Action

Pr. Henry L. Vello, Jacobus, N. H.

Pr. Morris E. Berger, Ansonia, Conn.

Pr. Rosario Frank Lawrence, Mass.

Pr. Peter Rudnik, New Bedford, Mass.

Sick in Hospital, Previously Reported

Missing in Action

Pr. Sebastiano Buecheri, Hartford, Conn.

Pr. Leo Calabro, Lynn, Mass.

Returned to Duty, Previously Reported

Missing in Action

Pr. Frank S. Crague, Woodbury, Conn.

Pr. George W. Hobbs, Jr., East Tom-

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21 U. S. CITIES REPORT 130,000 JOBLESS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Reports from 21 cities, showing more than 135,000 men unemployed, were submitted to the house immigration committee yesterday by Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, in support of his contention that "there will be bread lines in every industrial center before May 1."

Mr. Morrison appeared in support of legislation to restrict immigration.

The reports submitted were in addition to those from 20 cities given to the committee last Thursday by Mr. Morrison, and showed Detroit with 50,000 unemployed; Philadelphia with 10,000; Indianapolis, 8,000; Bridgeport, 15,000; Charleston, W. Va., 3,500; Worcester, 12,000; San Francisco, 15,000; Tacoma, 2,500; Denver, 1,750; Great Falls, Mont., 1,000; Akron, O., 3,500; Schenectady, 3,500; and Pittsburg, 10,000.

A report from Seattle said it was impossible to give the approximate number of unemployed there, but that there were thousands and that the number was increasing daily. The situation was becoming so menacing, it was stated, that government intervention might soon be necessary.

Machinists Complain

Mr. Morrison read a letter from William H. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, stating that the existing unrest among the laboring classes is being accentuated by employers who are increasing the number of hours a day the employees have to work and lowering wages. The letter also said that several companies working under war orders of the war labor board have served notice that as far as they were concerned the war ended the day the armistice was signed and that the awards no longer were in effect. In this connection the Warrenton Pump company, Cudahy, Wis., and the Willys-Overland company, Elyria, O., were mentioned.

Mr. Johnston also said that 25,000

machinists have been discharged in Buffalo, 5,000 in New Haven, 5,000 in Newark, 4,000 in Rochester, N. Y.; 3,500 in St. Paul, 4,000 in Pittsburgh, 5,300 in Hartford and 90 per cent. of all employed in Columbus, O.

Mr. Morrison told the committee that further proof is being obtained daily of the increasing extent of unemployment, and that action must be taken immediately if serious labor troubles are to be avoided. He said that two things should be done by congress:

Suggests Legislation

"First, that legislation providing for the employment of returning soldiers be passed, and second, that immigration be stopped until normal times are again reached."

Mr. Morrison said that only two cities—Toledo and Youngstown, O.—of the 30 mentioned by him last week as having large numbers of unemployed, have denied that such conditions exist. He read a telegram from Toledo in which it was stated that the man who made the denials had taken only factory laborers into consideration, and said he was now obtaining additional information in regard to Youngstown.

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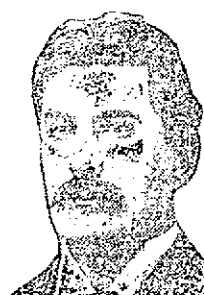
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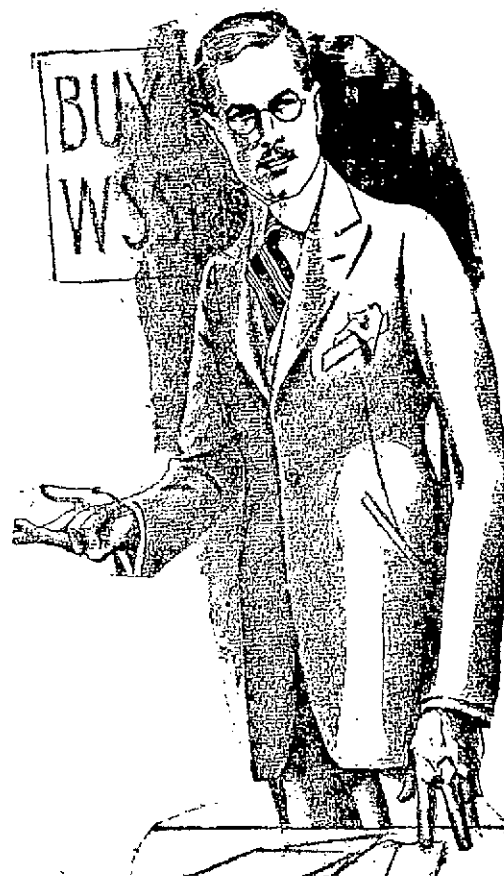
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\$25 Suits and Overcoats	\$19.37	\$45 Suits and Overcoats	\$37.50
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\$1.50 NEGLIGEE SHIRTS	\$1.15, 3 for \$3.00
\$2.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$1.69, 2 for \$3.00
\$3.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$2.39, 2 for \$4.50
\$4.00 SOFT CUFF SHIRTS	\$3.39
\$5.00 SILK SHIRTS	\$3.98
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PUTTING THE DAMPER ON AUTO THEIVING

(Special to The Sun)

STATE HOUSE, Boston, January 22.—Any automobilist in Massachusetts whom we are able to connect in any way with a stolen automobile will not be allowed to register a car in this state again. This emphatic declaration, made yesterday afternoon by James W. Synan, of the Massachusetts highway commission, outlines what the commission believes to be the most effective, and probably the only effective method, of dealing with automobile thieves.

"Already," Mr. Synan added, "we have blacklisted twenty-five former automobilists who will never be allowed to own or to drive a car in this state. Police officials tell us that our campaign is already bearing fruit, for the number of automobiles reported stolen in the last few weeks shows a considerable falling off from previous records. We hope that the thieves will take the warning and find some other way of making money; if they persist in stealing cars for a living, sooner or later we'll get them, and when we do, it's 'good night' for them."

Commissioner Synan made his statement during the hearing of a Lynn autoist, who was before the commission pleading that he be allowed to register his car and resume his business of renting them. Mr. Synan told the applicant that he would make a complete investigation of his case and try to get at the facts. "But I may as well tell you," he added, "that we have information indicating that you almost had your hands on a stolen car. I

won't say that we have been told that you stole it, or that we believe that you stole it, but we have reason to think that at one stage of the stealing you almost, if not quite, had your hands on a stolen car. We'll give you the benefit of a doubt and give the matter a careful investigation, but in the meantime don't turn down any reasonable offer for those cars of yours, because the chances are you won't be able to use them."

In the opinion of the commissioners, automobile thieves have been making extensive use of the so-called "dealer's plates" in plying their trade. The procedure of the thieves, in most cases, the commission believes to be about as follows:—

A man purchases three or four cars, and sets himself up as a dealer in motor vehicles. As such, he is entitled to receive from the commission five sets of number plates, each set bearing the same number, with the number followed in each case by a different letter of the alphabet. At least one of these sets is kept in reserve.

With one of these sets, the thief then goes out, locates the car which he intends stealing, and removes the owner's plates, replacing them with the set of dealer's plates which he has kept for the purpose, and drives it away.

The owner soon discovers his loss and reports to the police, asking that they watch for a car with a registration number 38,765, and while they are vigilantly watching for this number plate, the stolen car goes by without hindrance, because it bears plate number 56788, or some other number totally different from that which was stolen.

For that reason the commission is about to undertake a rigid investigation of every person who has a dealer's set of plates, and the honest dealer should not feel offended if an agent of the commission enters his place of business and demands to know the disposition which has been made of all of the plates he obtained from the commission.

HOYT.

S. S. MANCHURIA ARRIVES IN N. Y. WITH MANY FIGHTERS AND 900 SICK

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—The transport Manchuria arrived today from France with the 15th and 17th Field Artillery, headquarters 56th Artillery Brigade, 106th Ammunition Train, headquarters 62nd Infantry Brigade, training cadres from the 51st Division and 85 sick and wounded.

The Greek arrived from Brest with 56th Coast Artillery.

200 Yanks in Rome

ROME, Tuesday, Jan. 21.—A contingent of 200 American sailors arrived

here today and was enthusiastically received at the station.

The minister of the navy gave a luncheon for the American officers today, while American and Italian sailors lunched together at another restaurant.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Note.—Below is what the press agents of the different theatres say of the current attractions and of others to come later.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE.—With all of the mysticism which attaches to the faraway east, Javedah de Rajah and Princess Olga give a most remarkable performance of sympathy at the B. F. Keith Theatre, this week. Faster than has ever been done before do these workers transmit thoughts, one to the other. Princess Olga, seated on the stage, and blindfolded, has questions fired at her from both auditorium and balcony at one and the same time, and her answers ring out with remarkable speed and clearness. This is the first Hindu act of occultism ever seen on a local stage.

Scarcely less interesting is "The Minister of Kerry" with Larry Bell, singing and acting the principal part. Bell is a true Irish tenor, and his assisting company is all that it should be. Janet Adair and her song recitations are from the Metropolitan stage and are good, and Al. Shayan, the man with hundreds of funny faces, is a manufacturer of laughter. Marcou & Fitzgibbons, musicians; the

Gliding O'Mearas, dancers, and Gerard's monkeys, animal trapezists, complete this very good bill. The pictures include the Red Cross, the Pathé News and a comedy film.

THE SPRAND.—The great Nazimova, in her latest and considered by some her best film offering of a highly dramatic nature, "Eye for Eye," which is to be shown for the last time today at The Strand, is creating no end of favorable comment among the patrons of motion pictures of the superior grade. This star finds opportunity to reflect her wonderful skill as a member of the silent drama, while the story which was adapted from the big stage success, "L'Occident," is thrilling and intensely interesting. See it today.

May Allison, the captivating screen star of the present season is appearing in her newest presentation called "Her Inspiration." Besides, the star herself there are several other noted screen favorites in the cast, including "our own" Herbert Hayes, who was in local stock two seasons ago. The remainder of the bill includes a comedy, Universal Weekly, Chester Outing and some numbers by Octavia, the double-voiced wonder.

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE.—The "Vanderbilt Prince," George Colman's big musical comedy success of a few seasons back, which is being presented this week by the Emerson All Star Players at the Lowell Opera House, is securing one of the real hits of the season. The piece has all of the vim and vigor of a regular Colman production, and the Players are handling it with commendable skill. Judging it with commendable skill.

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ADMITS McADOO IDEAS OF USE

Southern Pacific's Head Says
Centralizing of Certain
Departments Good

Tells Senate Roads Should
Go Back to Private Control
and Competition Restored

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Use of water routes to relieve crowded railroads, consolidation of ticket offices, unification of terminals and pooling of repair shops were among the wartime reforms instituted by the railroad administration, endorsed as worthy of continuation by Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the Southern Pacific, in testimony today before the senate interstate-commerce committee. He appeared in support of legislation proposed by the association of railroad executives. Standardization of equipment for all railroads under federal control, proposed by the railroad administration, was said by the witness to be inadvisable.

"Standardization of locomotives is unwise and unnecessary," he said. "To obtain maximum efficiency of a locomotive and corresponding minimum of cost of transportation, demands close study of the alignment and grade systems, the nature of fuel, strength of bridges, weight of rail, length of turntables, depth of roundhouses and lengths of freight passing sidings on the lines on which they are to be operated. As these features are different for each line, no locomotive can be designed to serve all lines with maximum efficiency."

"The standardization of passenger equipment is not necessary as it seldom leaves the rails of the owner. Standardization of certain classes of freight cars is desirable."

The short routing of traffic, Mr. Kruttschnitt said, had not resulted in as large benefits as had been claimed. "The benefit of this practice, which deprives the shipper of choice routes and competitive facilities and service, is very much exaggerated," he said. "The director general says that during a year of federal control 16,363,633 car miles have been saved in the eastern and northwestern regions alone, which is only two-tenths of one per cent. of the total freight car miles run in these regions."

In summarizing the attitude of the railroad executives toward railroad legislation, Mr. Kruttschnitt said: "Profiting by experience acquired under both private and government operation the carriers earnestly desire to provide a better system of operation by combining the initiative and beneficial features of competition inherent in private ownership with the benefits developed during operation by the government unhampered by legal restrictions."

MARY MAHONEY DEAD

State Head of Auxiliary to
A.O.H. Since 1916, Dies at
Her Home in Norwood

NORWOOD, Jan. 22.—Miss Mary I. Mahoney, state president of the Ladies auxiliary to the Ancient Order of Hibernians of Massachusetts, died yesterday afternoon at her home, 124 Pleasant street, Norwood. She had been ill since November, when she suffered a nervous breakdown due to overwork in the auxiliary.

Miss Mahoney was born 47 years ago. To prevent Grip and Influenza, LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets taken in time will prevent Grip and Influenza. E. W. GROVE'S signature on box.

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Will Assist You in Locating Lost
Articles, Relatives, Etc.

The Popular Irish Favorite
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"The Minstrel of Kerry"

JANET ADAIR
In Song Recitations

AL. SHAYNE
The Singing Beauty

MARCONI & FITZGIBBON
Two Aces of Music

Gliding O'Meras
In Original Dance Ideas

Gerard's Monkeys
A Company of Near Men Actors

PATHE RED CROSS COMEDY
1000 Matinee Seats at 10 Cents

Work—The Masterminds

LAST TIME TONIGHT

Douglas Fairbanks
in
"He Comes Up Smiling"
ALICE BRADY
in
"Her Great Chance"



THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 24 and 25

WALLACE REID

"TOO MANY MILLIONS"

The question is, if you read in the paper that you had inherited 40 million dollars in real money—and you were eating a 30 cent dinner at the time, which was the first square meal you had had in two days—would you finish the meal before going for the money? See what Wallace Reid does in this picture.

Pauline Frederick

"OUT OF THE SHADOW"

The charming star in an exceptionally dramatic photo-play. Her stellar role is that of an unhappily married young woman whose life is darkened by tragedy but who ultimately finds the kingdom of content.

"FATAL MARRIAGE"

A SIDE-SPLITTING FOX COMEDY

BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURES - - - - - OTHERS

THE TALK of the TOWN
With DOROTHY PHILLIPS as the Star
This is Miss Phillips' best role in her best photo drama.

THURSDAY — FRIDAY — SATURDAY
A wonderful photo-play production with a very unusual title and an out of the ordinary story.

ADDED FEATURE
HARRY MOREY in "HOARDED ASSETS"
SPECIAL COMEDY You're Not Going to Miss This Show Are You? Last Showing of "THE EAGLE'S EYE"

THE ROAD TO PICTURE SATISFACTION THAT LEADS YOU TO THE **OWL THEATRE** WHERE EVERYBODY GOES TO SEE THE BEST SHOWS

YOUR LAST OPPORTUNITY TODAY TO SEE
"A MORTGAGED WIFE"
"THE CABARET GIRL"
Special Comedy—DARING and DYNAMITE—Pictorial News

in Walpole, but had lived in Norwood 40 years. She formerly taught school in Norwood, West Roxbury and Rockland, and for several years had been a teacher in Boston, her last position being in the Disciplinary school, South Boston.

She had been a member of the Ladies' auxiliary for many years and was for several terms president of Division 11 of Norwood. She was also president of the Norwood County Ladies' auxiliary for several terms, declining reelection in 1914. In August, 1914, she was elected state treasurer and re-elected the following year. In 1916 she was elected state president and was re-elected in 1917 and 1918. She had gone as delegate to several national conventions of the Ladies' auxiliary, and at one held in Virginia. In 1914, she was chairman of the committee on Catholic federation.

DANCING AT DEVENS
A most enjoyable dancing party was held last evening at the Soldiers' club in Ayer, and 75 colored doughboys were unanimous in declaring the affair one of the "best ever." The party was held under the auspices of the war camp community service of Ayer, and several young women from Boston and Lowell were present to trip the light fantastic with the boys and make the affair a success. The Lowell party, which consisted of 16 local young women, was chaperoned by Mrs. H. M. Wingard.

Five Heroic Divisions
Continued

spontaneous Mr. Brown is reckoned as one of the "big men" in foreign correspondence and speaks from first hand information.

Here are some of the things he said regarding the 26th and its work in winning the war—
Five divisions of the American

troops bore the brunt of all our fighting in France from our entrance into the war up to the day the armistice was signed. Other divisions played a splendid part in the hard fighting our soldiers did, but the war ended before most of them were in condition fit to be called combat troops. The five divisions which heroically sustained the terrible burden of war while America gathered up her strength and prepared other troops to aid them were the First and Second, the Twenty-sixth, the Forty-seventh and the Thirty-second. Of these the first two are regular divisions. The other three national guard divisions. Other divisions aided materially in winning the war and are entitled to full credit; but the five I have named are especially deserving



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TICKETS, 35c

the thanks of the nation. Through these heroic divisions more men have passed than originally comprised them, and no other divisions that reached the front paid their toll in blood or suffered such casualties as these five sustained. From the time they went into the war they were the American shock troops. They were used to the very limit of human endurance, yet never faltered. They bore the brunt of the fighting at Chateau-Thierry and on the Marne, from June to August, and came out shattered in all but heart and courage. Without rest they were put into the St. Mihiel offensive in September, where they were again the shock troops. Without rest they were thrown into the fighting in the Argonne.

Terrific Losses
Referring further to the terrible losses and tremendous pluck and courage shown by the 26th, Brown says that "the 26th division came out of the offensive near Verdun with only 18,000 men" while the full strength of a division is presumably 47,000.

"Every soldier in France," continues Brown, "is proud of his own division, but with chivalry and truth of every soldier in France he wants to have his head at the mention of those five heroic divisions—three of which belonged to the once despised national guard. I have never been a believer in the national guard system, but I know that if these national guard divisions had not been ready with the outbreak of the war, we could not have turned the trick. It is a splendid tribute to American manhood that

SUNDAY

ENID BENNETT in
"THE VAMP"
MARGUERITE SNOW
in
"ROSEMARY"



JEWEL THEATRE

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A 7-reel great American drama of the man who was not afraid.

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A play of two minds, and the havoc it wrought on a drunk-sodden man of the world.

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OVER THE TOP

Lecture

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Lowell's Greatest Newspaper

CONGRESS TO BLAME

The congress of the United States was asked, six months before the war ended, to put through legislation providing homes, farms and work for American soldiers upon their return from the battlefields where they licked the Huns. Congress dilly-dallied a while and then gave the father of the movement, Secretary Lane of the Interior, \$200,000 with which to investigate. He had asked for a million or two.

Think of investigating such a huge project, spending all over the country and including hundreds of millions of swamp, arid and out-of-land, with \$200,000! However, Lane's highly efficient reclamation service did the investigating. They worked hard and fast on it. And reported to congress.

Congress shoved the report into a pigeon-hole and went on playing politics.

Lane called the attention of congress to the necessity for speed, for immediate action. He told them that the war was over and thousands of soldiers were coming back every day, and that they were looking for work. He also told them that these thousands of new farms would be needed for food within a few years—to fight the wolf of world hunger.

Lane has talked to congress; preached to congress; appeared before committees and even at an informal session of the house, with this result:

Nothing done!

This congress has less than six weeks in which to act. If this legislation is not passed before March 4, it may not be enacted within the next year.

Congress knows that and still does nothing but talk about it. Hundreds of thousands of our soldier boys are hunting for civilian jobs. Three million of them will soon be back home.

If you want to help them; if you want to increase the food supply of this country for your children, if you want to do away with bread lines and with armies of unemployed war veterans, make your demands known to congress. Appeal to your representatives and your senators for action that will help to afford suitable employment for the soldiers.

The time will soon arrive when patience on this problem will have ended to be a virtue, and when congress must meet the outbursts of public indignation, if it does not respond to the nation's needs, especially in this matter of helping to find suitable employment for the soldiers.

THE INFLUENZA

Reports from the state health department show that the influenza is decreasing in every part of the state except Lowell. This may or may not be a reflection upon the board of health for failure to take effective measures for fighting the epidemic.

In the first place, the isolation hospital should have been opened some weeks ago and other steps should also have been taken to prevent the spread of the disease from the homes of patients. The steady increase in the number of cases reported from the health department is sufficiently alarming to warrant extreme measures. The influenza commissioners, acting for the state board of health, recommend the use of the serum, developed by Doctors Rending and McGuire of the United States Naval hospital at Chelsea. After a great number of experiments, Dr. Carey,

the prominent expert and member of the influenza commission, speaks very highly of the results attained from the use of this serum. He holds that if given early and properly, the serum will cure influenza-pneumonia. In 150 such cases at the Chelsea hospital, the death rate was but four per cent, whereas the death rate at Camp Devens was 20.7 per cent.

Inasmuch as this treatment is in use in half a dozen hospitals in greater Boston, it would seem quite safe to have it introduced here in the treatment of influenza cases. The serum, the doctors assert, is quite harmless and, with the promise of good results, there is no reason why it should not be tried. The use of the serum calls for volunteers from those who have recovered from the influenza, to contribute the blood necessary in making the serum. Only persons who have recovered not more than four weeks ago will be accepted among the volunteers, and as many of these may be in rather a weakened condition, they may not be willing to make the sacrifice. Yet, those who have contributed of their blood are said to have suffered no injurious effects.

BUILD! BUILD! BUILD!

The appeal to build, build, build without waiting for prices to come down, is resounding all over the country. It comes from the departments at Washington, from state legislatures and from the leading business men of the country. It is regarded as one of the most essential steps in the program of reconstruction to have government work started without delay, so as to encourage private owners to go ahead with building enterprises instead of holding back to await a reduction in the price of materials or perhaps in the rate of wages.

Representative Acheson has introduced a bill in the legislature providing for a period of tax exemption for all new buildings erected within a specified time. This might help to get building operations started, although there will undoubtedly be serious opposition to the measure, even if it should stand the test of constitutionality.

Each city has a duty to perform in getting building projects or other public works started as soon as possible. Again, it must be urged that the school board and municipal council should take up without further delay, the matter of erecting new school buildings. The board, by co-operating with the municipal council, can do much to expedite matters. If these problems be allowed to lag until the spring, it may be far along in the fall before the operations be well begun.

The men who are behind the project for a memorial building for the soldiers and sailors, if given the legal authority, will push that ahead with all possible haste in order that it may help in the urgent demand for building operations to assist, so far as may be, in the general resumption of business.

CHILD LABOR DAYS

January 25, 26 and 27th have been designated by the National Child Labor committee as "Child Labor days," to be observed in churches, schools and elsewhere. The object is to provide the necessary protection for children. It appears that since the supreme court over-ruled the Child Labor law, there has been great increase in the employment of children of tender years in some of the southern states and even in some states far removed from the south. The overthrow of the Child Labor law did not prejudice in any manner the

movement for the protection of children against employment for which they are not fitted or employment during the years at which they should be at school. The Child Labor law, so-called, was not properly framed. Neither was it properly named. It provided against the export of products on which child labor was employed. That was a very roundabout way of getting at the matter.

Congressman Rogers has a bill before congress providing for an amendment of the constitution so that child labor may be prohibited throughout the states. There have been so many amendments before congress of late, that the one proposed by Mr. Rogers has probably been pushed aside by the others. But it is a matter that should be acted upon and will undoubtedly come up in due time.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

The demand for open sessions of the peace conference, if granted without reserve, will offer too many opportunities for the sensational writers who are not very particular as to facts, provided they can create a sensation.

If all the preliminary discussions of the various and complicated questions were open to the correspondents and their interpreters, there would be such a confusion of reports and opinions that the public could hardly tell what the conference had done. Moreover, things might come out that would cause international friction and misunderstanding. The peoples of the world care nothing for discussion. They want to know what is done, not what is being said by the different delegates.

The wise course was adopted in assigning to representatives of the leading nations, the task of giving out properly digested reports of what the conference has actually done and what questions it has in hand. Among such a gathering of distinguished men, the hungry sensationalists will have no difficulty in getting the talkative to commit themselves in a manner that will bring them trouble later on. The arrangement made for due publicity is all that could be desired and will protect the conferees themselves against false statements and distorted reports, all covering the proceedings and yet all materially different.

Much interest will be taken in the town meeting proposed by the city of Lawrence in order to give the officials an opportunity to talk over matters with the citizens or to get an exchange of views on public questions. It may serve a good purpose and then again it may not. The officials want to present certain phases of the city's financial condition to the voters. Why can they not do this more satisfactorily through official reports for which the oral statement offers no equivalent. The primary aim is to improve the financial condition of the city and if it can be done through the town meeting, all the cities will readily adopt the plan as the cheapest and most feasible.

La Follette has been whitewashed by his colleagues in the senate. All the republicans but one voted for him, realizing that his vote will be needed in keeping up the appearance of control in the next congress. The vote of a traitor equals one same as that of a patriot, and it appears that if the G.O.P. has the votes, the leaders do not care where they come from.

The prevalence of crime in all parts of New England is another thing to suggest to the quiet people who abide at home or evenings in company of good reading, that sticking to what has been a pleasant habit is a thing that may save us being blackjacked some time when we are of a mind to sally forth in search of extraneous amusement.

Purchance we stray far from the subject when we suggest that when that Georgia senator asserted to his colleagues that Wilson was doing things in a manner too royal to suit him, it was jealousy to be expected of a senator coming from a state that has great pride in the fact that she is the home of the "king of the baseball diamond," Citizen Tyus Cobb.

While different interests in this city of ours hem and haw about the desirability and the legal aspects of opening up the contagious hospital so as to isolate influenza patients, what single man or agency will have pep enough to do something that will accomplish this comparatively simple method of probably curbing the ravages of the disease? It should not be forgotten that the influenza epidemic reaped a harvest of dead seven times as great as the bubonic plague had claimed.

The peace table is busy trying to think of something it can use as a serum against the disease of Bolshevism. President Wilson says that the patient, he thinks, needs \$100,000,000 worth of food. Unfortunately at the present time, congress shows signs of letting the patient die or go insane before giving the necessary approval to the \$100,000,000 dose being started overseas.

SEEN AND HEARD

People to be pitied include bald-headed and nerve-shaken editors who are asked all kinds of fool questions via the phone.

League of Nations

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Alexander at 27 Pleasant st., Hallowell, Me., where a feeding station for birds is maintained throughout the winter, seven evening grosbeaks, a pair of blue jays, a pair of chickadees, a pair of hairy woodpeckers, a white-breasted nuthatch and a mocking bird assembled for breakfast yesterday morning. The mocking bird first joined this winter colony January 1 and continues to be a regular boarder, despite the cold weather.

Welcoming the Heroes

A correspondent who signs himself "A Soldier's Father," has sent the following communication to the editor of Seen and Heard:

Sir: Will you allow me to suggest in your valuable column that in appointing a committee to meet our boys coming home, the committee select men who are fathers of soldiers. It would be too bad to appoint men that hid behind a machine in the Cartridge shop or went "over the top" of Lawton street to the tune of \$40 a week. Let those people take to some side street or get up in some attic window. It would be unfortunate to insult the brave boys by appointing such cowards to meet them.

He Knew Better

Teacher was warning to her subject, and, laying down her book, said: "Now, you all understand that the trunk is the middle part of the body, don't you?"

"Yes, ma'am," chorused the class, with one exception.

"You understand it, too?" asked the teacher of the boy who had not answered.

"No, ma'am, because it isn't so."

"Why, my dear boy, what do you mean?"

"Well," replied the boy, "you ought to go to the circus and see the elephant!"—Stray Stories.

How He Lost His Leg

Nothing is more irritating to a real fighting man than to be interrogated about himself. There was a sailor on a railway carriage. As he had only one leg, he excited the interest of two elderly ladies, who in a round about way began endeavoring to find out how he lost his leg. For some time he sheered them off. He did not like being cross examined, but neither did he like to be rude. So at last he said: "Well, mums, if I tell you how I lost my leg will you stop asking me questions about it?"

"Of course we will," they promised. "Well, mums," he answered stily, "it was bitten off."—Sir John Foster Fraser in Harper's.

Preparatory Conversation

Cleric hasn't discovered the girl yet, but he is already worrying about how he is going to propose to her when he does. War and matrimony, says he, require preparedness. He has written down a dozen tentative sentences to introduce the subject. We culled a few of them as mere suggestions. He imagines himself starting the conversation with one of the following phrases:

"You look very nice across a table."

"I think cooking like yours would keep you in good humor forever."

"Do you object to smoking about the house?" I don't smoke.

"The high cost of living isn't so high after all, is it?"

"Would you mind beginning to look like me?"

"I suppose, like all girls, you intend to remain an old maid."

"Do your clothes look up in the back?"

"Yes, I know I dance like a camel, but that is because life was a desert for me until this evening."—Rehebech Sunday Herald.

At Waking

There is a twilight moment, drifting, creeping.

Along the floor above the shoals of sleeping.

And brings a smothered sense of silent weeping.

In that half-moment, glimmering in the gray

Of last night's ocean lapping at the day.

Ever in that numbed time, there comes a wonder

At some unrest which surges deeply under

And murmurs "I have never been apart."

I nestle in your breath and ride your heart.

No silence of the night may bring me rest.

Or soothe me from my vigil in your breast."

Then, as I startle in wakefulness

Come the full flavor of the bitterness

And bathe me in the light of naked day.

And you—ah, you! the rest I dare not say.

Only that I am here and you—away.

EDMUND VANCE COOKE.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

I went on a ride yesterday morning down through Concord, and made another visit to the old battleground, which seems always to hold a certain amount of interest, regardless of the number of times we frequent the memorable spot. A group of people were wandering about, and as I came nearer I found the party to be made up of Japanese men and women. They had come there in a large limousine, and their chauffeur was to all appearances an American. The men carried large folding kodaks, and they had no doubt snapped the statue of the minute man, the monument and various other historical tablets. I learned also that this hallowed ground had been visited by scores of soldiers, during the summer months, and that on

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Children love this "fruit laxative," and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is, they become tightly clogged with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Listen, Mother! See if tongue is coated, then give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system, and you have a well, playful child again.

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Saturdays and Sundays one might find the place thickly dotted with khaki uniforms. Many of these men, presumably were making the most of the opportunities afforded them while they were located at the neighboring camps, to seek out the place where the Lexington farmers made the first resistance to the invaders.

I know there is a general tendency in all the homes, that when there is sickness in the house it is considered a relief to have a place like school where the children betake themselves and thus the quiet all sick people love is secured. But we more and more come to a changed idea as regards our home relations as they are connected and affect other homes. I have in mind that beyond all doubt, there have probably been many cases of influenza transmitted to grownups by means of the bacilli being taken home by a child who received it from a child who attended school from a home where there was a case of influenza. In addition to what The Sun had already advocated in respect to the contagious hospital being opened to receive "flu" patients and having homes posted where the disease is raging, I believe the time may come when children from homes where the disease is, will be asked to stop coming to school. One of the best reasons for this I know is that oftentimes the germ of influenza is carried by a person who luckily for him, escapes all attacks of it.

I follow all the papers pretty closely and it seems to me that for the past four weeks New England has been enveloped in a bad epidemic of crime. There was the Revere murder, wife and little child killed; that East Boston holdup, where an Italian was nearly beaten to death; that Haverhill crime where the shoe-worker confessed he killed two women, and here, Monday night, the shooting Mrs. Travers. Rum may be to blame for much crime but I have the impression that in this month gone, much of the crime can be traced to the wicked part of human nature found in these people who did these crimes.

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NO SHIPS MEAN HORSES FOR ARABS

LONDON, Jan. 31.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Owing to lack of ships to bring them to England, 100,000 horses and mules of the British army in the eastern theatre of the war are to be sold to the Arabs or destroyed. That announcement has been made by Major-General Sir W. H. Birtbeck, director of remounts. He has also stated that, of the British army's total of 750,000 horses in Europe, a large number of which were purchased in the United States—only those that are sound and under 12 years old will be shipped here. About 125,000 war horses are to be brought to England, and Belgium is to have 50,000 for reconstruction work. General Birtbeck said: "We want to distribute them all over the country by big sales, in cities up to 100 animals, and to smaller towns up to 25. There is an unaccountable prejudice against mules in this country. At present we have in England about 10,000 mules, many of which we want to sell, but people don't seem inclined to buy them. The mule is an economical animal which does not eat so much as a horse, and for every horse that goes a horse, less than half a mule is sick."

TURKS EXPERIENCED MUCH PROFITEERING

LONDON, Jan. 21.—Profiteering was carried to such an extreme in Turkey during the war that, in the opinion of

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a special representative of the British press at Constantinople, it passes comprehension how people managed to live. Writing from Constantinople, he says:

"There is no doubt that Turkey during the war was largely the plaything of Power Pasha, Talaat Pasha and their band of satellites. They reduced the country to a state of wholesale corruption remarkable for Turkey, and in amassing riches themselves allowed economic conditions to become a nightmare."

"Nowhere else in the whole area of the war have the prices of commodities approached anything like the heights known here. The right to use a railway wagon was sold for £1000. The profiteer who secured it bought, say, sugar from Austria or Germany at a shilling or so a pound, and sold it at two or three hundred times its value, making £50,000 or more on a single consignment of modest dimensions."

Lloyd Hinkle, a member of the 149th hospital unit, stationed at Park View Station, Pittsburgh, Penn., didn't get to France, but he weighs 265 pounds now, 24 pounds more than he weighed when he went into the army, last August.

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LOWELL WINS ANOTHER N. Y. MAY SEE WILLARD

Takes Second Game From Providence—No Relative Change in League Standing

Tex Rickard Wants To Match Dempsey With Kansas and Awaits Albany's Action

Lowell defeated Providence for the second time this week at the local rink last evening, 11 to 7, but as Salem also defeated New Bedford there was no relative change in the league standing. The Witches are still on the top rung by a small margin.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Tex Rickard has his eye set on another championship heavyweight boxing bout. The opponent he wants to shove into the ring with Willard is Jack Dempsey, and Rickard stands ready to bring this about the moment that the New York state legislature thinks favorably about boxing. Rickard wants to promote such an affair, but is unwilling to handle it if the contest must be decided outside of New York.

Rickard is a fight promoter extraordinary and would bring the two gladiators together with the least friction and ostentation than any promoter in the country. He made the bout between Willard and Moran and made it a financial success, even if those who paid their good money only saw the two big lumbering battlers shove each other around the ring. Rickard has said he wants to promote the match, and if he wants it he is most likely to achieve his desire.

There probably would be a storm of protest if Willard were billed to appear in New York. Just at present the champion is not any too popular with New York fight followers, who remember that Willard had refused his services in aid of the war relief benefit shows put on there. At that any arena in which he appeared would be crowded with a multitude of scoundrels in the hope that Dempsey might be able to erase Willard from the distasteful landscape.

Rickard anticipates legislative action by several weeks at least. It is safe to assume that the New York state legislature will have a chance to place themselves on record as to their stand in boxing but it is no certainty that boxing will be approved.

KITTREDGE MINOR LEAGUE BUSY

Kittredge's minor league held sway at the Kittredge alleys last evening and the large crowd of spectators who were on hand for the occasion kept the enthusiasm at a high pitch. The Congress team administered a severe thrashing to the Mohicans and the Kittredges finally secured a small winning margin over the Lawrence Mfg. Co. The Baldwins and the Matthews went to a draw in one of the most exciting games ever rolled on the alleys in this city.

The scores and standing follow:

Stack	Wins	Losses	P.C.
Stack	31	31	235
Swindells	32	162	101
Chase	33	198	86
Nault	108	94	54
Sevell	101	29	108

Totals 495 455 499 1449

KITTREDGES

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Moore	91	86
King	100	102
Panton	92	90
Davis	123	88

Totals 496 474 479 1449

MOHICANS

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Reynolds	35	31
Manning	37	36
Eastman	38	34
Mohoney	33	110
Curry	32	94

Totals 495 472 473 1391

CONGRESS

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Patrick	94	89
Sheehan	101	115
Burke	92	102
Gill	85	101
Burns	97	93

Totals 490 512 475 1461

MATTHEWS

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Bowers	107	96
Ryan	98	86
Sheehan	93	102
Quimette	122	115
Ringwood	107	58

Totals 522 474 168 1464

BALDWIN

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Parrell	93	87
Sabor	100	95
Shind	114	96
White	105	113

Totals 504 503 457 1464

KITTREDGE'S MINOR LEAGUE

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Kittredge	13	81.2
Mathews	15	75.9
Lawrence Mfg.	7	58.3
Highland	2	9.9
Congress	3	11

Totals 49 115 45.8

BALDWIN

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Baldwin	4	33.3
Mohicans	2	25.0
Riversides	0	0.0
Indefatigable	1	10.4

Totals 7 10.4 10.4

FOUR TEAM MATCH

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Mathews	98	72
Reynolds	77	86
Currier	62	65
McKeejohn	52	85
J. Harriman	32	116

Totals 413 414 427 1254

TEAM ONE

Wins	Losses	P.C.
Leo Reicher	84	97
McIntosh	81	81
Louis Reicher	73	81
Sub	68	15
Dwyer	160	132

Totals 405 415 426 1241

TEAM THREE

Wins	Losses	P.C.
J. Harrison	91	90
P. Tibbitts	82	83
P. Carroll	59	68
McPhillips	72	79
Hall	105	106

Totals 443 494 145 1261

TEAM FOUR

Wins	Losses	P.C.
W. Harriman	94	88
P. Tibbitts	82	83
Richards	60	94
Couty	102	82
Perrin	110	114

Totals 506 467 482 1111

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS

Lowell 11, Providence 7.
Salem 5, New Bedford 1.

TONIGHT'S GAME

Lawrence at Worcester.

POLO NOTES

The only game scheduled for tonight is between Lawrence and Worcester at the latter city.

Fred Jean is putting up a great old game for Salem this year and we doubt if the Witch City sluggers would be in so superior a position as they now occupy were it not for the stalwart fighter.

The Salem News seems to think that the Lowell team is made up of two men, Bob Hart and Pence. Both men are very nervous, but when asked about the other three Lowellites that have brought more than one game Lowellward? Here's what the Salem paper has to say about the matter:

"Three more excellent matched teams would be hard to find than Salem, Lowell and Providence. All are well balanced and the race to the end should be an interesting one. Fred Jean and Pence are the mainstays of the Salem team and if either one of these players should be injured or dropped out of the game, it appears that the Salem team would slump tremendously. The same thing can be said of Lowell and Providence. Lowell has a wonderful goal tend in Pence, for since he joined the team it has clinched the ladder with rapid strides. Bob Hart is also a big asset to the Lowell team and if either of these players was lost it is obvious that Lowell would drop to a position in the race where it would not be dangerous as a pennant contender."

CLEVELAND TEAM TO BE AT NEW ORLEANS

CLEVELAND, Jan. 22.—The local American league baseball team will train in New Orleans again this spring.

After a month's training the team will leave New Orleans about April 20, going direct to Detroit for the opening game April 22. No exhibition games will be played on the way north.

"HEALTH SUNDAY" POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Postponement of "Health Sunday" from February 9 to February 23, so as not to conflict with the Theodore Roosevelt memorial services arranged for the former date was announced today by Surgeon General Clegg of the United States public health service.

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Uncle Sam's Men Studying How To Enforce Bone Dry Law

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Means of enforcing prohibition after July 1 are under consideration by officials of the department of justice and the internal revenue bureau, but steps to create a special enforcement agency will not be taken until congress has had time to act on pending legislation giving this function to the revenue bureau.

This bureau now has about 500 agents who could be assigned to liquor violation detection, including 200 now engaged partially in running down illicit liquor distillers. Officials believe, however, that this force will have to be enlarged by several times to effectively enforce nationwide prohibition. The department of justice also stands ready to assign many of its secret agents to prohibition enforcement, if this is deemed necessary.

States to Have Most Work
Even with an augmented government force devoting its entire efforts to preventing manufacture and sale of liquor, however, officials declare the bulk of enforcement work will fall on state and local police authorities. Federal agents would operate only in those districts where the local officers seemed unable or unwilling to enforce the law properly.

Officials say that the fact that the prohibition measure is a federal act which never had a referendum on prohibition as throwing the burden of enforcement on federal officers. For this reason and because of the expected feeling in some communities that prohibition is not supported by popular opinion, government officials believe that some federal agency must exercise a measure of supervision over law enforcement.

Preparing For Drouth

Revenue agents say there are already indications of preparations for approach of the dry era among those who propose to manufacture liquor illegally after July 1. Not only in the southern mountains, the principal creating regions of moonshiners, but in large cities of the east and middle west, small stills have been found recently. Owners of some of these are said to have admitted their intention of putting them in operation after prohibition becomes effective.

The advent of prohibition, officials say, will not repeal revenue laws applying taxes on spirits or nullify existing provisions for fines and imprisonment as penalties for illicitly manufacturing liquor.

Households if we can increase our profits. He stated that the whole trouble lies in the marketing and distributing. He said in New York 1400 carloads of garden truck products are being hauled in the state daily. There are 16,000 men engaged in the jobbing business and they employ 400,000 assistants such as clerks and drivers, etc.

"The producer wants the consumer," said Mr. Jenks, "and they want to do away with the middle men, for there are too many of them. What we want here in Massachusetts, and particularly in Lowell, is co-operation on the part of the farmers. Form an exchange in Lowell as they have in Providence and the four members last. The whole trouble in Lowell is that you did not bind your members tight enough. In Framingham an exchange was formed, each member was forced to file a bond and he was taxed 50 cents for every bushel of stuff sold outside of the exchange.

"The majority of farmers are poor salesmen and for that reason they should hire an expert salesman to handle their goods through an exchange," Mr. Jenks predicted that before a great while exchanges will be organized throughout New England with a clearing house in a good center and that will bring about uniform prices. In closing he said "Form an exchange, tie up your members securely and hire an expert to sell your goods."

General discussion followed in the course of which the public market question for Lowell was touched. One man asked if there was not a law for the establishment of a public market in every city with a population of 10,000 or over and Mr. Merrick replied in the affirmative, saying all the municipalities had to do was to set aside a site approved by the state board of agriculture. Before the closing of the morning session the chairman of the meeting and Mr. Fred Walsh were appointed a committee to confer with committee from the Middlesex North Agricultural society relative to the establishment of a proper market both for the wholesale and retail trade in Lowell.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN THE POLICE COURT

Twenty-eight men were charged in police court this morning with being present where gaming implements were found, and after being found guilty by Judge Enright were ordered to pay fines of \$15. They appeared and were held in the sum of \$200 each.

Herles Deniers was charged with maintaining a gaming nuisance and pleaded not guilty. The evidence of the arresting officers was sufficient to convince the court of his guilt and he was ordered to pay a fine of \$100. He also appealed.

Lieut. David Petrie and four members of the vice squad testified that on the night of Jan. 18 they climbed to the roof of a building adjoining Deniers' coffee house, which is located at 429 Market street, and saw the men standing around two tables at which a game of cards was in progress. They also stated that they saw money changing hands frequently. After watching the game for nearly two hours they came into the coffee house through the street door and arrested the crowd.

John A. Higgins was called on continuance on the charges of drunkenness and carrying a pistol without a permit. The case was again continued, this time until Friday, half remaining at \$500.

Thomas McElune was charged with



U. S. AMBASSADOR SPEEDS JAPAN RED CROSS UNIT TO AID TROOPS IN SIBERIA
United States Ambassador Roland Morris and Mrs. Morris in final

conference with the Japanese Red Cross field unit before it left Tokyo for the Siberian front to aid American, Japanese, allies and Czechoslovak troops during the winter campaign against stiffening Bolshevik resistance.

assault and battery on Clifford G. Paine. Owing to the fact that the plaintiff is ill at the present time, the case was continued until Saturday.

James Tansy was charged with the larceny of \$10 from Louis P. Palmer, and his case continued until Friday. Bail was placed at \$500.

John Billis was charged with assault and battery on his wife. He was found guilty, and given a suspended sentence to the house of correction.

Several offenders who were charged with drunkenness were given small fines, and the probation officer released several first timers.

8 HOUR DAY THREAT MADE IN MADRID

MADRID, Tuesday, Jan. 21. Threat of a general strike was made by the committee of the central labor union today if the demands which it presented to the government were not accepted. The demands include one for a minimum eight-hour day and another for the establishment of minimum wages corresponding to the cost of living.

Other demands called for the abolition of piece work, the cessation of agricultural labor unions of the use of state and municipal lands for cultivation, the establishment of government work to alleviate unemployment, and the re-employment of the railway workers who were dismissed during the strike of 1917.

HUN SHIPS SOON TO CARRY YANKS TO U. S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Negotiations for the allotment of idle German and Austrian liners to the movement homeward of American forces in France are nearing completion. Secretary Daniels received a cablegram today, from Admiral Benson, representing the navy department in the negotiations at Tientsin, saying he would be able to inform the department within a day or two as to the number of officers and men required to put the German and Austrian ships in service.

The secretary said that orders had been issued further delaying demobilization of the navy until it was learned how many men must be supplied for this new transport service. It has been estimated that the twenty or more German and Austrian liners, including the Imperator, sister ship of the Leviathan, will have a transport capacity for 70,000 men a month.

The local evening newspaper is the paper that reaches the home when the whole family is there to read it. The Sun fills this field in Lowell.

U. S. ARMY'S DESERTERS TURN PARIS THUGS

PARIS, Jan. 22.—Thefts, acts of violence and armed attacks are increasing daily in Paris, according to the Matin, which declares that the demoralization of allied troops is bound to have effect of further increasing acts of lawlessness. The Matin continues: "Many former prisoners now freed from the army are hurrying to make up for lost time. This band of law-breakers is now increased by contingents from the armies of our allies."

"During the last week 130 night assaults in the Paris district were reported as having been committed by deserters from the American army. The task of handling this sort of an energetic and hard-working population has been entrusted to Deputy Police Commissioner Evans, who will act in conjunction with the provost marshal's office which employs nine companies of 150 to 200 men each as well as three companies of patrolmen. In addition to these police there will be a company of detectives in uniform. Six detectives in private clothes will work the French detective service."

NO TAX BOOST FOR TICKETS TO MOVIES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Taxes on amusement admissions will not be increased by the war revenue bill. The conferees agreed today to rescind their previous decision to increase the rate from 10 to 20 per cent. The new decision followed receipt of petitions bearing thousands of names protesting against the proposed increase. In their agreement today the conferees decided to let the present tax of one cent on each ten cents paid for amusement admissions remain in effect, but to increase the tax on cabaret admissions from 10 to 15 per cent, and on club dues from 10 to 15 per cent.

OVERCOME BY GAS

A man who registered as John Jarke was found overcome by gas in his room at a local hotel this morning. He was removed in the ambulance to St. John's hospital. His condition is serious.

The man called at the hotel at about 9 o'clock last evening and asked for a room. This morning shortly after 9 o'clock an odor of gas was traced to his room by one of the employees of the hotel who upon opening the door found Jarke in an unconscious condition, the gas leaking from an open jet.

ENGLAND MAY BE TIED WITH MINERS' STRIKE

LONDON, Jan. 22.—Industrial unrest throughout the United Kingdom is on the increase. In addition to threat of a railway strike the whole Yorkshire coal field probably will be idle tomorrow, throwing 150,000 men out of employment, while preparations are being made in Scotland for a general strike for a 40 hour week.

The cause of the trouble in Yorkshire is somewhat similar to that which is occurring in other parts of the country. The operators there have locked out some 40,000 men who insisted on taking twenty minutes of the employers' time for meals. In reply to the lockout, the Yorkshire Miners' association has declared a strike for tomorrow.

The dispute in London between the engineers and their employers has been improved somewhat. Some of the employers have granted the demands of the engineering trade, but the electrical workers are now threatening to strike.

ROCHAMBEAU LEAVES HALIFAX TONIGHT

HALIFAX, N. S., Jan. 22.—The French liner Rochambeau with troops, surgeons and others on board, was sailing today preparatory to sailing for New York tonight.

Dr. Edith Bruyn of New York, Dr. Lucy E. Resner of Erie, Pa., and R. Verneker, of the Knights of Columbus staff, of Terre Haute, Ind., left for their homes by rail today. Local medical men wished to entertain Col. C. W. Crile, head of the Lakeside hospital unit of Cleveland, Ohio, at luncheon this afternoon but the surgeon was unable to accept the invitation.

NEW ZEALAND LOST 16,500 MEN IN WAR

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Jan. 22.—Via Montreal—New Zealand's casualties in the war totalled 57,932, of whom only 45 were taken prisoner by the enemy. The number killed was 16,500.

BACK AT HIS DESK

Mr. R. R. Gumb, acting secretary at the Y.M.C.A., returned to his office this morning after a week's illness.

THE LABOR PROBLEM

Millmen Invited To Discuss

Local, Labor Situation

With City Council

Twenty-six mill men of Lowell have been invited to discuss the labor situation in this city with the municipal council and war labor board Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the mayor's reception room at city hall. The invitation was sent out by the mayor today and read as follows:

January 22, 1919.

Dear Sir:
As a result of a conference held with the war labor board of Lowell yesterday, it was suggested that the agents of the various manufacturing companies of the city of Lowell be invited to meet with the municipal council and the war labor board on Friday afternoon, Jan. 24, at 4 o'clock in the office of the mayor at city hall for the purpose of discussing the labor situation with regard to the employment of our soldiers after their return home, as well as certain other general propositions and problems concerning the employment of labor.

In view of the complex situation that is sure to arise, this conference is of vital importance, and it is urgently desired that you be present.

Respectfully yours,
FERRY D. THOMPSON,
Mayor of Lowell.

HUB DOCTORS SAY FLU IS HERE FOR WINTER

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—Another strange fluctuation in influenza totals for this city was recorded by the health department today in the report of 144 new cases for 24 hours ending at 9 a. m., compared with 217 cases yesterday. Lower pneumonia cases numbered 25, compared with 15 on the preceding day. Deaths from influenza were 17, an increase of two, while deaths from all forms of pneumonia numbered 4, a decrease of two.

These sharp influenza changes give the health department little hope that the disease will disappear during the winter. It has become firmly established apparently, and changes in the weather will have but slight effect, according to physicians.

OREGON TESTS HER SOLONS FOR "FLU"

SALEM, Ore., Jan. 22.—From today until all danger from the influenza epidemic has passed, members of the Oregon legislature whose temperatures are above normal must leave the state house immediately, both houses decided yesterday. Official clinical thermometers have been provided.

AUSTRALIA WILL HAVE NEW AIR LINE

MELBOURNE, Jan. 22.—Via Montreal—The Australian government, it is announced, has sanctioned the formation of a company to survey an aerial route between Australia and the Far East.

Back From War Zone

Continued
there was to see in the way of fighting overseas. He went across with the other members of the popular



PRIVATE EDWARD COUGHLIN.

Lowell unit in September, 1917, and received the usual preliminary training before going into the trenches. He saw service at Seicheprey, St. Mihiel, Chateau Thierry and the Argonne forest. One of the interesting, yet sad experiences of his military service was riding in the same ambulance with the late Capt. Paul Kittredge when that gallant officer was near the point of death. According to Coughlin, Capt. Kittredge had been transferred from Co. M to Co. P of the 101st and was serving with the latter unit when he received his mortal wound. When he was being removed to the hospital he wanted to know if the boys of Co. F were all right. His forehead was badly shattered.

The men of Co. M made a plea to Col. Logan that Capt. Kittredge be returned to their company, but their request was refused. Coughlin said, Co. M lost all her old officers when she went to the trenches.

At one time the men were without food for three days when their supply wagon was lost and it was no fun biting along with heavy packs. When the men first arrived in France there was some difficulty in settling "smokes" and when they were available the price was raised to triple and in some instances four times the usual price.

Coughlin was in a base hospital at the time the armistice was signed, but he said the fellows told him later of the great celebration the men had. He left France Dec. 25 and arrived at Camp Devens a little over a week ago. He is now awaiting his honorable discharge. A brother, Priv. Frank Coughlin, is still overseas with the 40th Infantry.

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PRIV. BARNEY PURTELL WEARS GOLD STRIPE

Private Barney PurteLL, formerly of the 14th railway engineers, but later transferred to the 28th regular infantry, whose Lowell address is 114 Rock street, arrived in Lowell today, bearing a gold stripe on his right coat sleeve to denote his being wounded overseas. A limp in his right leg gave further testimony to his strenuous experiences overseas.

PurteLL was the victor of a machine gun bullet in the new historical battle of Chateau-Thierry last July. He received his wound July 16 and spent the rest of his time in France in a hospital. He left overseas for this country Oct. 28 and has since been recuperating at General Hospital No. 3 at Colonia, N. J. He has been granted a month's furlough in his home town.

PurteLL went overseas early in the summer of 1917 with Capt. Pelletier's railway engineers whom Sergt. Jack Donovan has made well known to Lowell people by his frequent and stirring letters from France. PurteLL was with this unit but a short time when he was transferred to Co. B of the 58th Regular Infantry. He saw much of the fighting in 1917 and was right in the midst of things at Chateau-Thierry when the combination of a machine gun bullet in his leg and a severe dose of gas proved too much. He was taken to a hospital where he remained until Oct. 28.

One of his most interesting experiences occurred last February when he was coming out of the trenches. Just as he was leaving the front line he ran into his brother, Private Henry M. PurteLL who was going to get his baptism of fire with Co. G of the 23d Infantry, second division. The brothers didn't have a great deal of time for conversation but Henry hollered out: "How is it, Barney?" And Barney replied cheerfully: "Fine."

That was the last they saw of each other. Henry has since been reported killed in a New York paper but the only local information received is that he was wounded. Barney is still confident that his brother is living because the war department has given no official notification of the death to his relatives.

Private PurteLL has also another brother in the service, John, who is with the United States navy. He has been overseas a number of times. PurteLL says that he has not received a cent of pay since last May.

CAPT. HARRIS TRIAL ENDS

AYER, Mass., Jan. 22.—The trial by general court martial of Captain Harry J. Harris of Brookline, formerly commanding officer of the ambulance depot at Camp Devens, was closed today with final testimony and arguments.

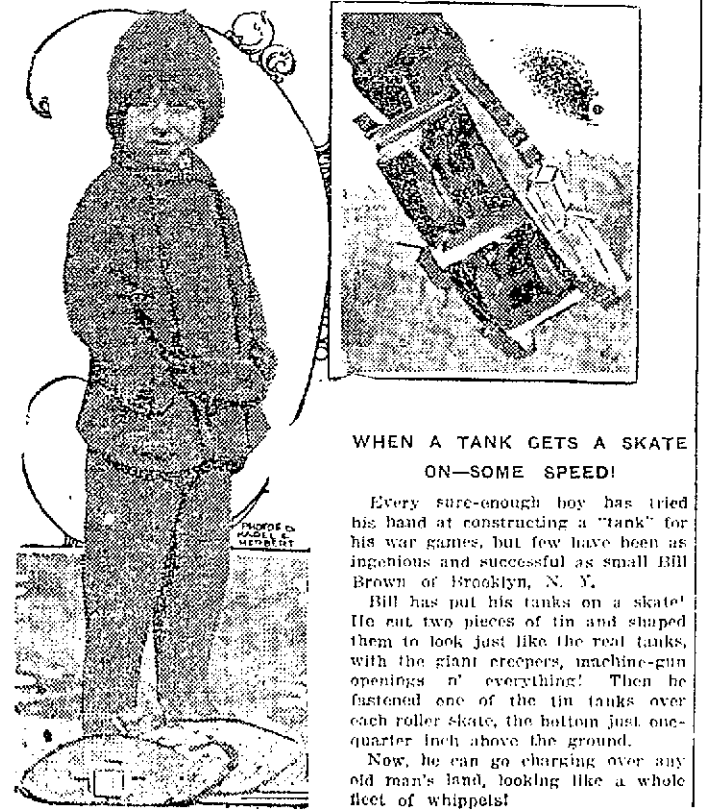
Counsel contended that no evidence had been developed to show misappropriation by the accused of 20 tons of government coal, as charged; and contended that Captain Harris' failure to deposit government funds constituted only "technical embezzlement." Captain J. W. Baskwith, trial judge advocate, asserted that it was "obvious that Captain Harris had knowledge that the coal was stolen and that the government was defrauded."

WORKMEN NOW BOSS ALL OF BREMEN CITY

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 22.—The city of Bremen is virtually in the hands of the workmen, according to a despatch to the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger. They have occupied the barracks, the town hall, the telephone office and the banks and have posted machine guns in the market place and public buildings.

The soldiers in the barracks were disarmed by the workers.

A general strike has been proclaimed at Remscheid as a protest against the killing of Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg. The factories have been closed and traffic stopped.



WHEN A TANK GETS A SKATE ON—SOME SPEED!

Every sure-ought boy has tried his hand at constructing a "tank" for his war games, but few have been as ingenious and successful as small Bill Brown of Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Starting To Ruin Russia, Trotsky Bade Reds Overthrow U. S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Leon Trotsky's closest associates when in New York were Alexander Berkman and Emma Goldman, the anarchists who were among the 1000 persons who assembled on the night of March 25, 1917, to bid the Russian agitator farewell, and at which meeting Trotsky urged his followers in this country to organize for the overthrow of the "damned rotten capitalistic government" of the United States. The next day Trotsky sailed for Russia.

The above testimony with reference to Trotsky's 1917 farewell to America was placed in the record of the senate propaganda committee yesterday by Inspector Tunney of the New York police department, who, during the period of the war was detailed to service with the military intelligence division of the army. Inspector Tunney also testified that William Schatoff, the Bolshevik commissioner of railroads, who, he said, is also in charge of executions, is also a former resident of New York, where, like Trotsky, he wrote inflammatory articles for radical newspapers published in foreign languages.

Stage Set

Another witness before the committee yesterday was Archibald Stevenson of the military intelligence service, who began a narrative based on government documents which is expected to disclose the extent of the post-armistice propaganda now being waged by enemy and Bolshevik agents in this country. It is expected that Mr. Stevenson will be on the stand most of today. Yesterday he laid the foundation for the disclosures that are to follow.

Mr. Stevenson in his testimony yesterday told of the efforts that were made by a group of persons in New York to organize a company to publish a daily newspaper in New York which would be "justice to the German cause." The men who were selected to head the publishing company having been the late Hugo Schweizer, Emil Kipper, Max W. Stiehr and Henry Weissman, the last named the former head of the German-American Alliance in New York state. Kipper is now in the Tombs waiting trial on an indictment which charges conspiracy to commit treason. Schweizer, though dead, is named as a defendant in the same indictment, as is also Jeremiah A. O'Leary, the Sinn Féin agitator, and John T. Ryan, the fugitive lawyer.

Dr. Von Mach

The scheme for the organization of the publishing company was disclosed, Mr. Stevenson testified, in a propaganda sheet issued by George Sylvester Viereck. There was to have been, he said, an advisory board of honorary vice presidents, among those named in Viereck's paper as having been selected for the board being Prof. William R. Shepherd of Columbia University, the Rev. Dr. Hall of the Union Theological Seminary, Dr. Edmund von Mach, and Mayor John F. Hyman of New York, then a country judge in Brooklyn.

Inspector Tunney was the first witness before the committee. The first part of his narrative had to do with bomb plots that were hatched in and near New York and of the work of the men under his command in bringing the plotters to justice. These were the plots the Germans fathered for the purpose of destroying allied shipping and for the blowing up of piers and other structures which were used in the manufacture of or handling of munitions for the allied governments. The details of most of those conspiracies have already been published. One of the plots said Inspector Tunney, which actually got under way but was nipped in time by the authorities, was the inoculation of horses with glanders germs. He named Capt. Wolfport, a former German steamship man in New York, as one of the persons concerned in the glanders plot.

Coming down to the time of Trotsky's departure for Russia in March, 1917, Inspector Tunney said that the farewell meeting in the Russian's honor was arranged by Alexander Berkman the anarchist associate of Emma Goldman. The meeting was held in Harlem and Trotsky made two speeches, one in Russian and the other German.

"Overthrow the Government"

At the conclusion of one of his speeches, Trotsky, said Inspector Tunney, uttered these words:

"I am going back to Russia to overthrow the provisional government there and to stop the war with Germany, and I want to say that we will allow no interference from any outside governments. I want you people here to organize and keep on organizing until you are able to overthrow the damned rotten capitalistic government of this country."

The next day Trotsky sailed on a Norwegian-American liner for Norway on his way to Petrograd, where he was to accomplish his purpose. He was accompanied by from 30 to 40 other agitators whose names, Inspector Tunney added, are in the files of the government.

"After that, and up to the following June 1," Inspector Tunney continued, "about 450 other Russians here left under various leaders, and every one of them went back to Russia to do the same thing. Two of these are now in the government over there. Both were at one time connected with radical foreign language papers in New York. One of these men is William Schatoff, the Russian commissioner of railroads under Trotsky. I also understand that Schatoff is the new executioner there at the place of Hlitski, who was as-

assinated some time ago by a woman.

Met Wallen in Russia

"I was told recently by an American who managed to get out of Petrograd that he saw Schatoff over there and that he halted him and told him to give his regards to Broadway when he got back. Schatoff was on his private train at the time. The other former New York agitator who is in authority of some sort in Petrograd is named Wallen.

"Have you any evidence," Senator Overman asked Inspector Tunney "as to whether or not Trotsky's followers in New York are trying to carry out his instructions for the overthrow of this government?"

"Yes, they have some sort of organization, but it is not what I would dignify with the word effective. There is a lot of talk going on, some of it in public places and some in secret."

"You have quite a nest of these anarchists in New York have you not?" asked Senator Nelson.

"Yes, senator, we have a lot of them there yet."

In answer to further questions by Senator Nelson, Inspector Tunney estimated that there were between 12,000 and 15,000 active anarchists in New York at this time. Add to this the persons who are in sympathy with them and he said the total would probably exceed 50,000.

"How long was Trotsky in New York?" Senator Overman asked.

"Only a few months."

"What did he do?"

Trotsky Agitated

"He was also agitating among Russians on organization. He was connected with a Russian paper called the Nova Mir and was nearly always lecturing on anarchy and radical socialism, sometimes in Russian and sometimes in German. He believed in the overthrow of all government. He spoke very little English. He does not believe in God."

"Who owns the Nova Mir now?" Maj. Hughes asked.

"A man named Gregory Weinstein."

"How about the activities of these anarchists since the signing of the armistice, has it increased?"

"To some extent, mainly through increased circulation of pamphlets and other seditious literature."

"The witness remarked here, in a reference to assassin plots that a woman known among her intimates as 'Dynamite Louise' who was a sister of one of the victims of the Lexington avenue bomb explosion of the summer of 1914 was one of the New York anarchists who returned to Russia with Trotsky."

7,882 FARMERS TOOK FEDERAL FARM LOANS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Under the farm loan system \$167,020,000 had been loaned to 7,882 farmers up to January 1, the federal farm loan board reported today. Of the \$4,644,000 due up to January 1, from borrowers for interest or payments of principal only \$53,000, or 1.3 per cent, had not been paid.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR SOLDIERS

Laurence Sampson, general secretary of K. of C. War activities in Lowell, is trying to get in touch with all sorts of local entertainers to make a trip to the base hospital at Camp Devens and give an entertainment to the wounded doughboys who are arriving at the camp each week. The plan is to give a show in one ward and then go to the next, so that all the boys will have a chance to "get in on the affair. All kinds of entertainers can be used, Secretary Sampson said today, although piano, cornet or violin players and singers are preferred. The secretary would like to hear from these entertainers before Friday evening. Anyone wishing to make a wounded boy forget his pains and aches for a little while should get in touch with the secretary at once. The phone is 1112.

PROBATE COURT

At the probate court session for contested cases held in this city yesterday with Justice Lawton on the bench, the case of Mrs. William J. Hogan against her husband for separate support, was settled, the petitioner and respondent having agreed to resume their marriage relations. Other cases marked for hearings were continued.

At the session for uncontested cases, Justice McIntire presiding, the following wills were allowed for probate: Francis Daigle, James H. Queney and Arthur McNeil, Lowell; Clarisse A. Butterfield, Tyngsboro. Administrations were granted as follows: Howard C. Janness, Charles S. Crandall, Mary Mooney, Susan Clancy and Michael Clancy, Lowell; Mary L. Plake, Exeter, N. H., and Ella M. Peabody, Braintree.

OLD LOWELL BANK

The following directors were elected at the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Old Lowell National bank, which was held yesterday: Armas B. Woodworth, Peter H. Donohoe, Lucius F. Pannit, James J. Kergin, John J. Robertson, J. Munn Andrews, Freeman M. Bill, Thomas B. Doe, Albert D. Milliken, Percy Gulline, and J. Harry Boardman. Later a meeting of the directors was held and John L. Robertson and J. Munn Andrews were elected president and vice president respectively for the ensuing year.

LOWELL MEN ARRESTED

Joseph Sears and Ralph B. Lamb, who gave their home as Lowell, were arrested in Quincy yesterday on charges of larceny. Sears was also charged with carrying a loaded revolver on his person. Both were held in the sum of \$1,000 for the superior court.

NAMES ON CANADIAN LIST

OTTAWA, Jan. 22.—The following names appear in today's casualty list: Repatriated: H. T. Colburn, Manchester, N. H.; M. Connors, Lebanon, N. H.; M. E. Evans, Bedford, N. H.

KIEV SITUATION BAD

Bolsheviks and German Soldiers Ravage City and Nearby Country

WARSAW, Monday, Jan. 20.—(By The Associated Press).—Ukrainian peasants are hiding grain from the Bolsheviks by burying it in large pits dug in the clay soil. They dry the pits by building large fires in them.

It is reported that large numbers of Germans remain in Kiev and other Ukrainian towns and that they have been offered large sums to fight in the Russian army or in the ranks of the Bolsheviks. Common soldiers are said to be getting thirty roubles and officers from 100 to 200 roubles per day for service.

Kiev is being deserted by all foreigners. German diplomatic agents have issued warnings for all who are not natives to leave the country. A few American refugees from Kiev have reached Moscow, but are unable to leave there because they have no funds.

The cost of food at Kiev is almost as great as at Moscow. Bread is bad, butter costs 75 roubles a pound and eggs three roubles apiece. Clothing is so scarce that it is a common sight to see people robbed of their shoes on the street. Many German officers have been stripped stark naked by bands of street prowlers.

Fugitives are frequently unable to get trains for Odessa but, even if they leave in that direction, they are liable to be robbed by bands which are holding up trains. If they leave toward Kiev, they have to walk part of the way, although it is possible to hire a cart if one has considerable money or to buy room on flat cars used for transporting German soldiers. It is said these soldiers sometimes become intoxicated, build fires on the open cars and toss hand grenades into them for pastime.

It is stated that General Bartolomey and a number of officers of the French army are endeavoring to reach Kiev to look over the situation. Many doubt that the party will ever return owing to Bolshevik activities in Ukraine. Petrus, the peasant leader, is a Bolshevik, but one who wishes to free independent of Moscow. Países and private homes are said to have been destroyed, art works and valuable book collections have been carried away and it is said that many murders have been committed by his followers.

With the extension of the new treatment comes the necessity for a call for volunteers to give of their blood to save others from pneumonia. The volunteers must have recovered from the true influenza-pneumonia not more than four weeks ago. Many persons have already offered themselves for sacrifice and not one of them has felt any serious after-effects. The operation weakens the volunteer for only a few hours and may enable him to save many lives."

BRITISH TRAINMEN SORE ON PREMIER

LONDON, Tuesday, Jan. 21.—Severe criticism of the "apathy" shown by Premier Lloyd George and the government toward railway employees was heard at a conference of delegates of the National Union of Railway Men tonight. These delegates represent nearly 200,000 workers and are here for a discussion of the question of working hours, as well as other grievances.

It was declared by union officials that unless the government faced the issues before it with promptness, drastic action would be taken by the organization.

AMERICANIZATION UP TO THE MILLS

Miss Florence Hughes, an Americanization specialist from the department of education of the federal government of the interior, has made a survey of conditions here in Lowell and frankly makes the statement that Americanization is more squarely up to the mills of the city than any other one factor in Lowell's life.

The churches and foreign press can do a lot to help along the work, according to Miss Hughes, but in the final analysis the matter is in the hands of the mill men.

Immigrants can be divided into three classes, says Miss Hughes. Those who have no desire to learn English but who have come to this country merely to secure a certain amount of money and then intend to go back to the fatherland; those who cannot read or write any language and whose case is practically hopeless, and the third group, those who have come here to stay and who want to learn English.

Some of the difficulties confronting the immigrants who want to learn English are their being too tired after their day's work, their having other duties to do at home in the evening and the fact that very few of them "know the ropes." In this latter difficulty, Miss Hughes believes the mills can play a very great part.

The Americanization committee of the board of trade met last evening at the board rooms and a conference with representatives from various local industries was held. Plans for a general mass meeting in the interest of Americanization were also discussed.

HARRY COLE BACK FROM OVERSEAS

Private Harry S. Cole, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Cole of Fairfield street, formerly restaurant manager of the D. L. Page Co., has returned to this country from overseas where he saw 13 months' active service with Lowell's own Battery F, and is now at Camp Merritt, N. J., awaiting permission to get home.

Priv. Cole was originally mess sergeant with the battery, but as this did not give him an opportunity to experience the adventure that he wanted, he asked to be reduced to a private and his request was granted. He was at the front during the St. Mihiel scrap and was with his unit up to Nov. 3 when he contracted influenza and had to go to a hospital. He arrived at Camp Merritt last Friday.

Private Cole had the happy experience of hearing his son, who was born while his father was at the front, coming over the telephone.

ANNUAL INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS BY THE BROTHERHOOD OF RAILWAY CLERKS

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—The Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, General Office lodge No. 71, of the Boston & Maine railroad, held its annual installation of officers in the American home last night and also installed a new lodge, the Massachusetts Bay lodge No. 837, Grand Lodge Degree Master W. J. Bond of Boston officiated.

Past Pres. A. W. Webster of Reading presided. Among the new officers installed were James Lee, president of General Office lodge No. 71, and Joan Rae, president of Massachusetts Bay lodge No. 837.

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THE INFLU COMMISSION

State Department Advises Doctors To Learn About Pneumonia Serum

BOSTON, Jan. 22.—At the meeting of the influenza commission which is acting for the state health department it was voted yesterday to advise the 5000 physicians in Massachusetts to acquaint themselves with the methods of procedure with the pneumonia serum developed by Drs. Reading and McGuire of the United States naval hospital at Chelsea and to administer that serum in cases of influenza-pneumonia.

Dr. Bernard W. Carey, state epidemiologist and member of the influenza commission, made the following statement: "If given early and properly and to true influenza cases I believe that the Chelsea naval hospital serum will cure influenza-pneumonia. In 150 influenza-pneumonia cases at the Chelsea hospital the death rate was cut from the average of 29.7 per cent at Camp Devens to 4 per cent for Chelsea. The serum is perfectly harmless, and it seems to be the only bit of solid ground that we can put our feet on in the influenza-pneumonia outbreak."

"The treatment is in use in a half a dozen hospitals in Greater Boston and through technicians trained at the Chelsea hospital the state health department has begun to spread state-wide information among physicians. State technicians are available now for consultation as follows: Dr. A. B. Schoemaker, Fall River; Dr. Louis F. Curran, Lynn; Dr. R. C. Whitney, Worcester; and Dr. Ernest T. Saeger, Springfield. Among other physicians who have perfected themselves in the technique of the serum treatment are Dr. A. H. Mandell of New Bedford, Dr. T. R. Donovan of Fitchburg, Dr. Walsh of Brockton and Dr. Roberts of Lowell."

"With the extension of the new treatment comes the necessity for a call for volunteers to give of their blood to save others from pneumonia. The volunteers must have recovered from the true influenza-pneumonia not more than four weeks ago. Many persons have already offered themselves for sacrifice and not one of them has felt any serious after-effects. The operation weakens the volunteer for only a few hours and may enable him to save many lives."

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and your libelless wife, Shirley Averill. Dated this sixteenth day of November A.D. 1918.

RAY S. AVERILL

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex ss. Superior Court, January 18, A.D. 1919.

It is ordered that the libellant notify the libelless to appear before our Justice of the Peace at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order of citation to be published in the Liberator, a newspaper published in Lowell in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be on or before the day of the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libelless as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in the libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel, as amended, and of the order thereon.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

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BLACK, WHITE AND BROWN HAIT found lost; answers to name of Spot, notice at 27 Waterfield St.

POCKETBOOK found Friday evening. Owner call at 81 West Union st.

SMALL PACKAGE containing sum of money lost Saturday afternoon between Suffolk St. and Merrimack sq. If returned to 25 Dutton st. will receive reward.

BLACK POCKETBOOK containing sum of money, lost Saturday night on Merrimack st. Reward at 42 Fay st.

POCKETBOOK lost between Union st. and Saunders' market. Reward 75 Union st.

NEW PHONE RULES BAD

New England Finds Service Higher and Many More Inconveniences

Unless the call comes from a place whence the station-to-station charge is at least 15 cents, Boston public pay stations will not furnish messengers hereafter. The same is also true of all other pay stations.

This is one of the many changes made by the revision of telephone rates by Postmaster General Burleson not generally understood.

Other new rules are:

There can be no "reverse" or "collect" charge for the uncompleted connection is made where a certain person is called and does not respond within an hour.

A new type of service is the "appointment call," enabling a person to arrange to talk to another person at a given time. For this an extra charge of about half the person-to-person rate is made.

The next move in the fight by the state of Massachusetts against the new rates, which went into effect Monday at midnight, under orders from Postmaster General Burleson, is up to Atty. Gen. Henry C. Atwell.

Evidence that the rights of the public service commission have been usurped was placed in his hands yesterday, with a request that he proceed by mandamus or injunction against the New England Telephone & Telegraph company to enforce the commission's decree suspending the new schedule until Feb. 20.

Mr. Atwell has not yet indicated what he intends to do, but it is anticipated that he will shortly appear as to the powers of the public service commission.

The New England Telephone & Telegraph company is going right ahead charging the so-called Burleson rates. In its protest the public service com-

LEGAL NOTICES

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex ss. Probate Court, January 18, A.D. 1919.

To all persons interested in the estate of John F. Noyes, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased:

Whereas, John F. Noyes, the administrator of the estate not already administered, of said deceased, has presented for allowance, the account of his administration upon the estate of said deceased;

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the twenty-third day of January, A. D. 1919, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to give this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, by mailing, post-paid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

P. M. ESTY, Register.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Superior Court within and for the County of Middlesex:

I, Theophilus Shirley Averill, and represent Ray S. Averill of Lowell, in said County, that he was lawfully married to Theodora Shirley Averill, now of Waterbury, Connecticut, at Boston on the 7th day of May, A.D. 1915, and thereafterwards your libellant and the said Theodora Shirley Averill being together as husband and wife in this Commonwealth, to wit, at Lowell, in said Commonwealth; that your libellant has always been faithful to his marital vows and obligations, but the said Theodora Shirley Averill having wholly regardless of the same, at or about the sixth day of November, A.D. 1918, committed the crime of adultery with a certain person whose name is to your libellant known.

Wherefore your libellant prays that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony may be decreed between your libellant and your libelless wife, Shirley Averill. Dated this sixteenth day of November A.D. 1918.

RAY S. AVERILL

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex ss. Superior Court, January 18, A.D. 1919.

It is ordered that the libellant notify the libelless to appear before our Justice of the Peace at Cambridge, in said County, on the first Monday of March next, by causing an attested copy of said libel and of the order of citation to be published in the Liberator, a newspaper published in Lowell in the County of Middlesex, once a week, three weeks successively, the last publication to be on or before the day of the said last mentioned day, and that an attested copy of said libel and order thereon be sent by registered letter to the residence of the libelless as set out in the libel, that she may then and there show cause, if any she have, why the prayer in the libel set forth should not be granted.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

A true copy of the libel, as amended, and of the order thereon.

WM. C. DILLINGHAM, Clerk.

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All shall be at the office of the Sealer of Weights and Measures during the month of February to attend to this duty.

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mission has the support of Governor Coolidge, who says he does not know why any state should surrender a legal right to the federal government just because the war emergency has passed.

Chairman Frederic J. MacLeod of the public service commission is convinced that Massachusetts will win its case against Burleson on the argument that the act of congress providing for federal control provided that nothing in it should "be construed to amend, repeal, impair or affect existing laws or regulations of the states in relation to taxation of the several states, except wherein such laws, powers or regulations may affect the transmission of government communications or the issue of telegrams and bonds by such system or systems."

ASK FOR HEARING

Commissioner Morse of the fire protection and water department stated today that three of the privates of the fire department who were discharged by the state last Saturday had asked for a hearing. The hearing will be held Saturday morning. He was unwilling to state which of the firemen had asked for a hearing.

BIRTH REGISTRARS

The following men have been appointed birth registrars for the coming year by the city clerk: Oliver David, John J. Cuff, John J. Kelley, John F. Gileson, William F. Boyle and Alfred J. Bolover. Several more appointments are to be made within a few days.

TO LET

ROOMS to let at Royal, 95-100 Westford St., Tel. 2223-M.

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BAKER wanted. Hart & Co., 500 Merrimack st.

MEN AND WOMEN wanted to know that we pay the highest cash prices for bonds. Apply to Lowell Commission House, 10 Graham St.

CATHOLIC WOMAN in Chapel Hill district wanted to care for two children, ages 10 and 12. G-31, Sun office.

YOUNG MEN, 18 and over, are eligible for government railway mail clerk. \$32 month. Examinations soon. For free particulars write J. C. Leonard (former Civil Service Examiner), 326 Kenosia Building, Washington.

WANTED

FIFTEEN CHOIRUS GIRLS wanted for musical comedy. Apply Opera House 14 a. m. and 3 p. m. Stage entrance. See Mr. Corbett.

WHOLESALE ICE CREAM PLANT at reasonable price wanted. Write J-31, Sun office.

FARMS wanted; large and small. Customers wanted. Write or call. Philip A. Bugossian, 2

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's, Associate bldg.
Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wyman's Exchange.
The civil service commission will hold an examination for fire alarm electricians at city hall Friday, Jan. 25, at 2.30 p. m.
Eight additional cases of influenza were reported at the office of the board of health today. The total for yesterday was 29.
There will be a special meeting of the municipal council Friday at 10 a. m. The meeting has been called by Commissioner Morse, but for what purpose he has not divulged.
Miss Mabel I. Harmon, formerly of

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Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to handle. Besides, it loosens and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.—Adv.



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this city, who has been visiting Mrs. Clifton Girard, Whipple road, Tewksbury, has returned to Howard, R. I., to complete her training as nurse.

Mayor and Mrs. Perry D. Thompson will be in the receiving line at the annual ball to be held at the Hotel Somerset this evening by the New England Boot & Shoe Manufacturers' club.

Albert Vignani and Eugene L. Douglas of Lowell, and Herbert A. Fairbrother of North Billerica, were among the New Englanders who arrived on the transport Malta at Boston yesterday.

Members of the local companies of the state guard will be interested in Bill 1270 which has been filed with the clerk of the house of representatives in Boston entitled: "Relative to the uniform and equipment of the state guard."

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Grogolre of Varney street received a telephone message last night to the effect that their son, Priv. Arthur E. Grogolre of the 2d Provisional S.P.D., 26th squadron, located at Vancouver, Wash., is now en route for Camp Devens for demobilization.

A telephone alarm at 9.33 o'clock this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to 72 Davidson street, where a wooden box in the rear of the stove was on fire. There was no damage. The property is owned by the estate of Patrick Kelley.

The Educational club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. A very interesting paper on "Serbia" was read by one of the members, and a few business matters were transacted. Rev. Mr. Kennedy, of the First Presbyterian church, will address the meeting to be held next Tuesday.

Parker Murphy, secretary of Lodge 135, Machinists' union, has returned from the Mooney convention, which was held last week in Chicago. Mr. Murphy reports that about 1500 delegates representing every trades craft in the labor world were in attendance. Mr. Murphy's official report of the doings of the convention will be made at the regular meeting of the lodge next Sunday.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Henrik P. Johnson and Miss Betty Y. Radman, two popular employees of the local office of the Boston & Maine, were married Jan. 15 by Rev. Dr. C. E. Fisher. The couple were attended by Mrs. Charles Brooks.

WOMEN AT WORK

During the war, millions of women have been at work in vocations into which they have never before been called—in munition factories, chemical works, metal works, street railways, and as ambulance drivers, barbers, and elevator girls. Undoubtedly thousands of others have longed to serve in this way, but because of female ailments, which had fastened upon them, were not able to do so. Women in this condition should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial and find health and strength, as thousands of others have so done.—Adv.

and Mr. Percy Peplin. After a honeymoon trip the couple will make their home at 89 Varney street.

THESE WAR EMBLEMS
ARE PUZZLING

Stripes, stars and cords, official and non-official, seem to be puzzling even the khaki-clad wearers in these after-the-war days. Scarcely a day passes but some Lowell doughboy appears with a striped star or cord so placed on his uniform as to excite the curiosity and interest of many to whom things military are a mystery.

Inquiry develops the fact that of the constantly increasing array of chevrons, stars and cords, the chevrons alone are official. All other insignia, with the exception of certain horizontal bars, may mean any number of things to the boys who wear them, but as few of them agree as to the reason of their acquisition, there naturally exists some uncertainty in the mind of the public as to their official standing.

The government has ruled that a gold chevron worn on the left arm denotes six months' service overseas. Two gold chevrons worn in the same positions signify a year, and three, 18 months. Worn on the right arm, the gold chevron becomes a wound or gas emblem.

Silver chevrons signify home service, and as in the case of the gold chevrons, one is granted for every six months. Scarlet chevrons worn on the left arm between elbow and shoulder denote honorable discharge from duty, and a light blue chevron, also worn on the left arm, gives testimony that the wearer has served less than six months overseas. The same ruling applies to the navy, the only difference being that in the case of the blue jacket the chevrons are inverted.

Gold and silver stars may eventually

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be used to denote the evidence of accredited Bolshevik representatives as to the status of Russian opinion," continues the newspaper, "is not at present in favor of even this admission of the Bolshevik regime, but the English proposal is that the Bolshevik government should be invited to send representatives to give evidence, the English suggestion being that representatives of Russia should be invited to come to Paris and take the conference exactly what territorial powers they claim. If, thereby, an agreement can be reached as to territorial delimitations, the different Russian governments can be defined and requested to confine their claims and ambitions to such territories and cease attempting to extend them by armed force.

"Unless this is done, Mr. Lloyd George fears a parallel to the Russian revolution when an attempt at interference by external powers led to the creation of a great national army. Such an event might occur in Russia if allied armed intervention were pursued. The Bolshevik army might be reinvigorated and constitute a serious and continued menace to the peace of Europe.

"French opinion, on the other hand, seems inclined to support the Bolsheviks, and it is stated that they are prepared to raise an army and to limit, if not crush, Bolshevism, if assisted with munitions and officers.

"The Bolshevik attitude, as far as it can be understood at present, is this: They do not desire to become a great industrial nation and are anxious that Russia remain purely agrarian and self-supporting.

"This view is understood to have been set forth yesterday by Hjalmar Schacht, the Danish minister to Russia, in the course of his evidence before the supreme council of the peace conference. The English fear that unless great care be taken Bolshevik Russia may be forced to depend commercially on Germany."

Irish Message to Free Nations

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raised on the vote of the "Dail Eireann." The constitution may be altered upon several days' notice.
Count Plunkett, Prof. Ederas an Vaters and Arthur Griffith will probably be appointed Irish delegates to the peace conference today.

Ireland Appeals to Free Nations
The government took no notice yesterday that anything unusual was afoot here. Members of the assembly poured out quietly into the crowd of unknown constabulary sympathizers and curious onlookers, but beyond the fringes of the crowd the streets were filled with women shoppers and unarmed British soldiers who loitered on the sidewalk.

The only sign of interest which citizens displayed was the hanging out of a large number of Union Jacks to testify to the policies of the house they decorated.

The "address to free nations" adopted by the assembly yesterday, "calls upon every free nation to support the Irish republic by recognizing Ireland's national status and her right to vindication at the peace conference," and continues:
"Ireland's independence is demanded. By the freedom of the seas her great harbors will be opened to all nations, instead of being a monopoly to England."
Today these harbors are empty, and idle solely because Ireland irrevocably determined at the dawn of the promised era of self-determination and liberty, that she will suffer foreign domination no longer, calls on every free nation to uphold her national claim to complete independence as an Irish republic against the arrogant pretensions of England, which were founded on fraud and sustained by overwhelming military occupation. She demands to be confronted publicly with England at the congress of nations, that the civilized world, having judged between English wrong and Irish right, may guarantee Ireland its permanent support for the maintenance of national independence."

Tipperary Punished
The British government has decided to proclaim the Tipperary district a military area in consequence of the killing of two policemen and the seizure of blasting explosives which they were guarding while it was being transported to a quarry. The crime was committed by unknown persons who made their escape.

Prisco's Chinese Rejoice
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—In celebration of the declaration of Ireland's independence by the assembly at Dublin, the tune of "The Nation Once Again" and other Irish songs were sung on the chimps of St. Patrick's Catholic church, in the heart of the business section yesterday. The chimps' master, Mr. Paul Anderson, played the airs with the consent of the church authorities.



Centre—Augustine Crehan. Left—Walter Pearson. Right—James Murphy
Photo by Marion

BOYS CONGRATULATED

Many Compliments For Boys
Who Arrested Man Wanted For Murder

There is no end to the compliments and congratulations bestowed upon Augustine Crehan, Walter H. Pearson and James Murphy, the three young men who, on Monday night, arrested George Shields, the alleged murderer of Mrs. Rose Traynor. The young men, so it was learned, were not personally acquainted with the alleged slayer but they recognized him through a description given them by Elmer Lord, the eight-year-old boy, who it is claimed, was the only eye witness of the tragedy.

After spotting, shadowing and grabbing their man, one of the trio went to the Lord home in Lincoln street and brought along Master Elmer to identify Shields, which he did the minute he set eyes on him and it was then that the man wanted for murder was rushed to the police station.

The boys claim they had no difficulty in holding their prisoner, and their friends are not astonished at this statement, for although of medium build the three are good athletes, and they are constantly in training, being members of a social and athletic club with quarters in the district known as Ayer city.

Augustine Crehan is 20 years of age and makes his home with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Crehan at 52 Fruit street. He attended the Lincoln school and later the Butler school from which he graduated at the age of 14 years. He is now employed at the Boston & Maine car shops in Billerica.

James Murphy is 17 years of age and comes to enjoy a definite meaning, but at present they are not officially regulated. As a result, one soldier will affirm he wears it because he is an enlisted man, while another will give a widely divergent reason. The same applies to the citation cords. There appears to be as well some difference of opinion as to the insignia of the various divisions.

One returned soldier boy insisted upon lettering done in dark blue, while another demanded that the "V. D." be worked out in light blue.
Two new war ribbons have been issued by the government. One denotes a third of its surface respectively to the red, white and blue, the white square forming center, and is designed for use of fighters who enlisted for war service "over there." The other, a two-inch ribbon, has a center section of red, white and blue with the national colors in the accepted order at the other end, and is to be worn only by fighters who have seen service overseas.
Two additional ribbons that will be seen on the streets of Lowell when some more of our gallant fighters are returned to us are those worn by men who have won the distinguished service medal or cross. Winners of this medal which is awarded to any boy who has distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious service in a duty of great responsibility during the days of the war, are privileged to wear an inch ribbon with a broad white

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KHAKI SHIRTS—Men's shirts, made of fine quality twill khaki cloth, standard make, \$1.50 value, at 75c Each

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WHITE SKIRTS—Ladies' long white skirts, made of fine cambrie, with deep embroidery flouncing, 60c value, at 35c Each
FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS—Ladies' night gowns, made of heavy bleached dome flannel, cut full sizes, \$2.00 value, at \$1.00 Each

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LINEN CRASH—30 pieces of brown union crash (fowling), very absorbent, 20c value, at 12½c Yard
TURKISH TOWELS—Very large size Turkish towels, heavy two-thread bleached and hemmed, 80c value, at 50c
TABLE COVERS—100 fine mercerized table covers, assorted sizes, \$2.00 and \$2.50 value, at \$1.50 Each
GINGHAMS—Mill remnants of best quality 32 inch gingham, assorted patterns, plaids, checks and plain colors, 35c value on the piece, at 20c Yard
FEATHER TICKING—Mill remnants of best quality feather ticking, 50c value on the piece, at 30c Yard
DOMET FLANNEL—Mill remnants of yard wide domet flannel, bleached and unbleached, 20c value, at 12½c Yard
SHEETS—30 dozen bed sheets, made of good bleached cotton, \$1.80 value, at 89c Each
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PILLOW TUBING—Large remnants of good quality pillow tubing, 40 and 42 inches wide, 35c and 40c value, at 30c Yard
BLANKETS—300 wool nup blankets, singles, plaids and gray, worth \$4.50 pair, at \$1.35 Each

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